

LOCAL BUSINESS HOUSES ENTERED BY SNEAK THIEVES

Sneak thieves have been busy in Daly City during the past week, five stores having been entered.

Last Saturday night Sordelli & Raffo's store was entered, the cash register being rifled and about \$50 taken, also a number of articles from the shelves.

Twisten & Mayer, grocers, at Los Banos and San Diego avenues, sustained the loss of a small sum of money Saturday night when thieves broke into their place of business.

Wednesday night Louis Ross was the victim of the burglars, the cash registers in both the grocery and meat departments being emptied of their contents by the burglars, while he also lost some groceries.

Selmi's grocery was entered Wednesday night, the contents of the cash register being appropriated by the thieves.

M. Marchi's grocery store was also entered Wednesday night, a small sum of money being taken from the cash register.

It is believed that each robbery was the work of the same gang, and that the guilty parties will be captured and put where they belong.

TRUCKMAN CRUSHED BENEATH MACHINE

Otto H. Nelson, a resident of Daly City, was fatally injured Wednesday evening when the body of a truck he was repairing fell upon him. The accident occurred at the plant of the Redwood Material Company, at Redwood City, where Nelson was employed as a truckman.

The body of the vehicle, hoisted from the frame while Nelson made an examination of the hoisting machinery, released suddenly, crushing him beneath it, witnesses of the accident said. Nelson was taken to the Redwood City hospital, where his death occurred within thirty minutes after the accident. Death was accidental, according to the finding of a coroner's jury yesterday.

Nelson is survived by a widow, Mrs. Rachael Nelson, and a small son. Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed, pending arrival from Portland, Ore., of the parents of the accident victim.

ADD TWO MORE TO BUSINESS SECTION

Two new business ventures are being launched in Daly City this week, another indication of the fact that this city is having a steady, substantial growth.

"The Poppy Buttery" will be open to the public tomorrow. This new delicatessen is located at 6396 1/2 Mission street, and will be prepared to serve fresh creamery butter, finest ranch eggs, cold meats, ham, bacon, etc., at down town prices. Mrs. Clarice Olson, one of our most progressive citizens, is interested in this venture, and the success of this new place of business seems assured.

Mrs. A. L. Nelson has opened a candy shop and ice cream parlor at 6339 Mission street, and will carry a line of the best grade candies and ice cream. Mrs. Nelson has had considerable experience in this line of business and believes that she has found a field that will prove most profitable.

INDICATES FAITH IN DALY CITY'S FUTURE

One of the recent improvements of interest to all boosters of this section is that made by Dr. Rankin to his building at 6280 Mission street.

The building has been raised and a store room the full width and length of the building has been added, making this one of the most imposing and creditable structures in the business section of Daly City. Dr. Rankin's offices are now located on the second floor, with an entrance on Mission street.

The new store room has been leased for a period of ten years to Peter Pavlos, who will sub-lease it, he has announced.

Dr. Rankin evidently believes in showing his faith in Daly City's future growth by his building activities, and not mere words, hence this recent improvement.

NEW HIGH SCHOOL HEAD ARRIVES IN DALY CITY

Mr. and Mrs. James Ferguson arrived in Daly City yesterday and are getting settled in their new home. Mr. Ferguson has been selected as principal of Jefferson Union high school, succeeding Neil O. Best, whose resignation took effect at the close of last semester. Mr. Ferguson was principal of the Chico high school prior to his acceptance of the position at Jefferson high, and comes well recommended.

BIG GAIN IS SHOWN BY BANK OF ITALY

An index to the statewide prosperity of California is furnished in the current mid-year statement of the Bank of Italy, showing a gain in deposits during the past three months of more than \$31,000,000. The complete statement was published in our last issue.

Aggregate deposits of the bank are in excess of \$600,000,000, as compared with \$569,000,000 at the time of the last report, March 23. The increase, therefore, has been at the rate of more than \$2,250,000 a week for the entire period. At the same time, the number of depositors has grown from 1,065,000 to 1,140,000, easily preserving for the Bank of Italy its rank as first in the United States in point of patronage.

Resources of the bank have increased \$21,000,000—from \$654,000,000 to \$675,000,000—during this same period. The chief gains, in addition to deposits, are shown in the surplus and profits account, where an increase of over \$3,000,000 is shown.

James A. Bacigalupi, president of the bank, said that the quarter just closed has been one of the most satisfactory in the history of the institution. "The more than three millions of dollars, added to the surplus and profits account, after all chargeoffs, deductions of expense items, payment of interest and dividends, while accounted for in part by certain profits accruing from adjustments, upon the perfection of the bank's consolidation, still evidences the substantial progress the bank is making. The fact that our board of directors has seen fit to increase the dividend rate is in itself ample proof of their confidence in the earning power of the institution."

The Bank of Italy, together with the National Bancitaly Company, (formerly the Stockholders Auxiliary Corporation), the stock of which is owned by the stockholders of the bank, now has a combined capital investment of \$100,000,000.

PATRIOTIC SERVICE AT GRACE CHURCH

The patriotic service at Grace Presbyterian church last Sunday evening was a splendid service in many ways. The songs brought the true American spirit to each life, and the reading by Master Alexander McNeir on "The Laymen" was much appreciated. Mrs. McNeir sang very splendidly "Oh Love That Will Not Let Me Go," to the edification of the audience. Many expressed their appreciation of the sermon from the theme, "Our Country, Its Flag and Its God." Despite the vacation time and day there was a very fine audience present.

This Sabbath evening the theme will be, "What Shall I Get Out of It." It's the burning question of the day, and we ask that you give us an hour of your time and see if it pays to come to church.

Our Vacation Bible school started off on Tuesday morning with a very fine attendance, and Miss Rankin is proving herself a real worker with the children. Parents, send your children, for it will be much better than running the streets.

We are sure that our faithful Sunday school superintendent, Mr. Rae, will be with us again next Sabbath, and he has promised not to be absent again this summer. Come and meet him next Sabbath.

The community and church was shocked on Monday morning to hear of the death of Mrs. Carnegie, of Crocker avenue, who had been reported so much improved during the middle of last week, but she suffered a relapse and was not strong enough to rally again. The funeral was held from the undertaking parlors on Thursday at 2:30, conducted by Rev. Gatchell of Grace church.

The sympathy of the community and the church goes out to Mr. Carnegie and son John.

All were glad to meet Mr. Gifford Teel, who had been gone from us for about three weeks and came home again Saturday. He thinks this is a good place to live and all hope he may stay among us.

CHAS. H. GACHELL, Minister.

BUILDING PERMITS

The following building permits were issued by City Clerk B. C. Ross during the past week:

J. Dougherty, 338 Willits street, garage.

A. J. Kronquist, 426 North Parkview avenue, four rooms; 438 North Parkview avenue, four rooms; 450 North Parkview avenue, four rooms; 344 North Parkview avenue, four rooms; 309 Vista Grande avenue, four rooms.

Firemen Planning Picnic

The members of Company No. 4, Daly City Volunteer Fire Department, are planning to hold their annual family picnic at Steven's Creek on August 7.

NEW SCOUT TROOP WINS HIGH HONOR AT SUMMER CAMP

San Bruno Scout Troop No. 72 at the Boy Scout camp, Pescadero, brought home the silver cup for highest honors in tent inspection, Tuesday. This trophy is the most coveted prize of the entire year and is awarded to the troop whose quarters show the highest degree of efficiency during the entire camp session.

This is the first time in county history that a north end troop has achieved it, and the record score made against the veteran troops of Burlingame, Hillsborough and San Mateo, with a troop reorganized a little over a year ago, without adult supervision and containing nearly all younger boys, reflects great credit on the true leadership of Dr. F. Holmes Smith, chairman of the troop committee, and Andrew P. Holm, their Scoutmaster, in their ability to teach their boys to get along without their teachers.

Marc Worst was the junior officer in charge of Troop 72's representation.

ANNUAL RADIO SHOW TO BE HELD IN AUGUST

A novel lighting plan, developed by Elliott Conray, illumination engineer of the famous "Miracle" production, has been provided for the fourth annual Pacific Radio Show to be held in exposition auditorium, San Francisco, August 20 to 27, under the auspices of the Pacific Radio Trade Association.

The lighting plan, according to Leo J. Meyberg, chairman of the radio show committee of the association, will surpass anything ever seen in the big indoor spectacles held in the auditorium. One of the features of the lighting will be the utilization of 80 powerful spotlights throwing a rainbow effect of varying colors up the walls and converging in the center of the great overhanging canopy. A colorful scheme of decoration will further enhance the lighting effect.

In addition to the indoor lighting, large batteries of concealed flood lights in the Civic Center will bathe the auditorium in a brilliant glow that will turn the night time hours into daylight.

Ernest Ingold, president of the Radio Trade Association, predicts that the coming show will be the most outstanding exhibition of radio equipment seen anywhere in the United States this year. He declares that the show is already a dominant national factor in the radio industry.

FIREMEN TO HOLD THEATRE PARTY NEXT WEDNESDAY

On Wednesday evening, July 13, the firemen of Daly City will hold their annual theatre party at the State Theatre. The first show will start at 6:30 p. m., and the second at 9 p. m. All of the people are requested to buy their tickets in advance, if possible. You can get them from any Daly City fireman. The members of the fire department are putting on a special program and the public is assured that they will get their money's worth. The program will include the Boy's Band, home talent and good; single reel news; two reel comedy; Miss Alice Cuneo, more home talent; Sigrid Millhauser and Grace Cole, KFWI artists; and vaudeville. The feature picture will be "Fighting the Flames." Every resident of Daly City is expected to attend one of the performances.

TOWNE ESTATE TO PAY WIDOW

An order directing that W. K. Bartley, of La Honda, administrator of the estate of the late Frank K. Towne, Redwood City financier, pay \$250 a month from the estate to Mrs. Madeline Towne, the widow, has been signed by Superior Judge George H. Buck. The money is to be used for Mrs. Towne's support, together with that of Frank Lee Towne and Gerald E. Towne, minor sons. Towne committed suicide last February, when it was discovered that he was short in his accounts as cashier of the First National Bank of Redwood City.

OSTEOPATHS TO CONVENE IN SAN FRANCISCO JULY 18

A reception at the Fairmount Hotel, a banquet at the same place and a trip around the city will be the special social events planned by the local osteopaths for the entertainment of the delegates to the annual convention to be held in San Francisco at the Fairmount Hotel, beginning Monday, July 18, and continuing through Thursday, July 21. Dr. F. O. Edwards, president of the organization, will preside at all sessions. Registration will begin at 8 a. m. on Monday morning, and the technical papers will follow immediately.

LEGION POSTS AND SCOUTS OF COUNTY OBSERVE FOURTH

Boy Scouts of San Mateo county, assembled at their summer camp at San Mateo County Memorial Park, entertained many visitors with a splendid Fourth of July celebration under the auspices of the American Legion posts of the county.

Following drill contests and athletic sports in the morning, a program of patriotic music and speeches closed the program of the afternoon, the orator of the day being the Rev. C. B. Sylvester of the First Methodist church, Burlingame, who gave an inspiring talk to the boys who are to "succeed to the high traditions of American patriotism," the speaker said.

John E. Pond of Burlingame, president of the Peninsula Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, also gave an inspiring talk, as did Howard C. Rowley, vice-president-general of the national organization of the society, and Carl G. Brown, president of the state organization for California.

Other speakers included Charles Eldridge, chairman of the San Mateo county Scout executive committee, and Angelo Rocca, adjutant of the Burlingame American Legion post, who entertained the large crowd with humorous stories.

The Boy Scout band, under the direction of E. O. Brose, rendered a number of fine selections. Hundreds of visitors inspected the camp, with its sanitary kitchens, hospital tent, swimming pool, big parade grounds, and other features.

Many parents and friends of the boys from all parts of the county, from Daly City on the north to Menlo Park on the south, drove to the camp on Saturday and Sunday evenings and spent the night, participating in the camp fire gatherings which are a feature of the camp where 235 boys of San Mateo County Scout troops are spending their vacations.

DALY CITY RESIDENT VISITS AMERICAN FURNITURE MART

R. E. Fletcher, of Redlick-Newman Company, San Francisco, whose home is in Daly City, is on his way home from a visit to the Summer Furniture Market at the American Furniture Mart in Chicago. From the world's most comprehensive showing of furniture, Mr. Fletcher has selected an assortment that will be of the greatest interest to the customers of Redlick-Newman Company.

"The American Furniture Mart was certainly a busy place during the Market," writes Mr. Fletcher. "As you probably know, the Mart is the largest commercial building in the world. It is now even larger than before, as this Summer Market witnessed the opening of the new 34-story tower addition. The original building was outgrown in the first two years of the Mart's history, and it was found necessary to build the new addition to accommodate all of the manufacturers who wanted to be represented in this great central furniture market."

"The original building is sixteen stories high. The addition is twenty stories in height with a dominating tower rising 474 feet into the sky-line of Chicago. The upper part of the tower is finished in blue and gold as an exact replica of the famous Campanile at Venice."

"In the Mart there are about five miles of window displays along its two and one-half miles of corridors. Strolling through the wide halls and looking at the wonderful exhibitions of the latest and best in furniture and household decorations is a liberal education in itself."

DISTINGUISHED CONDUCTOR TO LEAD SYMPHONY CONCERT

Next Sunday's symphony concert in Hillsborough's Woodland Theatre will be conducted by Ossip Gabrilowitsch. The distinguished conductor of the Detroit Symphony orchestra will on this occasion begin his second series of concerts for the Philharmonic Society. He was here for several concerts last summer, and his success then was so phenomenal that his return on Sunday will be an important event for thousands of music lovers around the bay district.

His quiet, unostentatious manner while conducting without score, together with his authoritative interpretations have won him hosts of admirers. This talented Russian is recognized as one of the world's greatest pianists as well as being classed as one of the most foremost orchestra leaders of the present day. He has appeared in all principal European music centers and in America, both as concert pianist and conductor.

The three remaining concerts of the season will be directed by Gabrilowitsch, who has arranged especially attractive and interesting programs.

ASSESSMENT ROLL SHOWS BIG GAIN

An increase of about \$2,000,000 in the assessed valuation of San Mateo county was indicated in the assessment roll for 1927 submitted to the county supervisors last Tuesday by Assessor Dan P. Flynn. A loss of about \$250,000 was suffered this year on account of the new law exempting cemeteries from taxation.

Hillsborough has the highest assessed valuation in the county, according to the figures submitted by Assessor Flynn, and is closely followed by Burlingame, which took second place this year away from San Mateo. San Mateo's new additions, the Homestead and Baywood, however, are not included in the valuation this year.

A material increase in the total valuation will be made when the personal property assessments are added to the roll by the auditor's office.

The assessment roll by cities as adopted by the supervisors follows:

Value of San Mateo county for the year 1927:	
South San Francisco.....	\$ 2,395,650
Lawndale.....	328,015
Daly City.....	1,285,545
San Bruno.....	1,140,650
Hillsborough.....	5,636,495
Burlingame.....	5,233,100
San Mateo.....	5,119,900
San Carlos.....	755,110
Belmont.....	505,035
Atherton.....	2,422,105
Redwood City.....	3,102,785

Total value of cities.....\$27,924,390

First Township.....\$ 5,235,930

Second Township.....2,237,915

Third Township.....6,821,150

Fourth Township.....1,577,255

Fifth Township.....1,063,810

Total value of townships \$16,936,060

Total value of county.....\$44,860,450

Operative roll.....2,525,750

Grand total.....\$47,386,200

When Leaving Curb

GIVE PROPER SIGNAL

A frequent source of accident, sometimes serious, is the pulling out from the curb of a parked car, without the driver having first given a warning signal, according to the National Automobile Club.

Section 130 of the California Vehicle Act is quite explicit on this subject. It says: "The driver of any vehicle upon a public highway before starting, turning or stopping such vehicle shall first see that such movement can be made in safety, and if it cannot be made in safety, shall wait until it can be made in safety; then, if the operation of any other vehicle may reasonably be affected by such movement, the driver shall give a signal plainly visible to the driver of such other vehicle of the intention to make such movement."

STATE SCHOOL LANDS OFFERED FOR SALE

The vacant school lands in the following counties will be offered for sale at public auction by W. S. Kingsbury, surveyor general, Sacramento, at the court house of the counties, as herein specified, the sales to commence at 10 a. m.:

San Bernardino, August 3; Los Angeles, August 5; Tehama, August 12; Mendocino, August 16; Lake, August 18; Napa, August 19; and Riverside, August 25, 1927.

Terms of sale are cash or 10 per cent, the balance bearing 6 per cent interest, except that the full payment must be made for timber lands and for lands in national forests or withdrawals.

All money received from the sale of state school lands goes to the support of the public schools of the state.

SAN MATEO TO INSTALL NEW ELECTROLIERS

The Newbery-Pearce Company of San Francisco has been awarded a contract by the San Mateo City council for installation of thirty-two new electroliers along San Mateo drive, on a bid of \$6,323.50. The new street lighting is to extend along both sides of the drive from Peninsular avenue to Bellevue avenue, and is to be under way at once.

St. Maximus Church Wins Suit

The suit brought by Rev. James Donohoe, pastor of St. Maximus church, against Granfield, Ferar & Carlin for damages done to the church while blasting in the Milo lot, was closed last week when Judge Buck of the Superior Court, Redwood City, handed down a decision giving \$2,515 compensation for the injury done. The defendants tried to persuade the court that \$300 was adequate to cover the cost of repairs, but the court evidently thought otherwise.

APPLICATION FOR BRIDGE FRANCHISE AGAIN POSTPONED

Action on the application of Charles Josef Carey for a bridge permit from Candlestick Point in San Mateo county to Bay Farm Island, Alameda county, was postponed for two weeks by the San Mateo county board of supervisors at their meeting in Redwood City last Tuesday. This action was taken at the request of Attorney Hall C. Ross, representing Carey, who desired the delay in the hearing.

City Engineer O'Shaughnessy of San Francisco appeared before the board later and stated that there were nineteen applications for bridge franchises before the San Francisco supervisors and that their commission of experts had selected the Rincon Hill-Alameda route as by far the best to handle the traffic problem. He was opposed to a bridge from or near Hunter's Point, and declared that such a bridge would be absolutely useless to San Francisco. He urged the local board to refuse a permit from Candlestick Point, and "permit San Francisco to solve its own bridge problem."

R. Guy Smith, of Moss Beach, secretary of the Coastside Civic Union, addressed the board, making a forceful appeal for a consideration of San Mateo county's interests first, last and all the time. He advocated the sending of a telegram to the navy department opposing the granting of a permit for a bridge north of Hunters' Point, and the granting of permits for bridges from San Mateo county's shoreline where they would best serve the welfare of this county.

Smith condemned "the selfishness of the San Francisco board in refusing to join in a highway district with San Mateo and Santa Clara counties to build a coast highway," and gave it as his opinion that "the big city interests had little or no interest in this county other than to control it for their own selfish ends." Smith predicted that "the center of population and industry would constantly move southward from San Francisco," and urged the supervisors to "act for San Mateo county to make it a railroad center and an industrial center and forget San Francisco's selfish policies."

Fred H. Drake, president of the San Mateo County Chamber of Commerce, appeared before the board and urged that steps be taken to co-operate with San Francisco in promoting industrial development on the Peninsula, and suggested that a conference be arranged between the local board and a committee of San Francisco's governing body to work toward this end and forget plans for political annexation. Drake maintained that industrial development depended in no way upon political consolidation, and that a proper understanding between the officials of the two counties would bring the desirable situation about.

The board instructed County Clerk Elizabeth M. Kneese to write to the San Francisco supervisors requesting such a conference.

The application of the River Sand and Gravel Company for a permit to construct a spur track to its proposed bunkers at Colma came up for hearing again, and developed another storm of protest. L. E. Goodwin, representing the Merced Gold and Country Club, Mrs. J. W. Brown, a trustee of the Jefferson Union high school district, and Miss Marjorie Robinson, a member of the faculty of the school, spoke strongly in opposition to the location of the industry in the proposed location, while George T. Wright presented a strong argument in favor of the issuance of the permit. The matter was finally continued for two weeks to hear further arguments in the case.

The California State Automobile Association was authorized to install warning signs at all the grade crossings in the county at a cost of \$4 each. About fifty-five signs will be required.

Bids were received for the construction of a superintendent's home at the county relief home. Architect W. H. Toepeke stated that the bids were higher than he expected, and suggested that they all be rejected and the plans modified so as to reduce the cost. This was done on motion of Supervisor Rosalie Brown.

Colonel John Skeggs appeared before the board on behalf of the Islam Redwood Shrine and urged that a road district be formed for the building of a good road over Alpine grade. He submitted a tentative map of the road and asked that County Engineer Kneese be instructed to prepare a survey of the road under the Matton Act, recently adopted by the state legislature. This was unanimously ordered done.

Would Open New County Road
The San Mateo county board of supervisors has formally requested the board of trustees of Redwood City to declare the section of the Alameda de las Pulgas within the city limits as a public highway.

HYBRID TREES MAY AIR REFORESTATION

Reforestation problems may be more easily solved through the breeding of hybrid trees of more rapid growing characteristics, according to J. L. Collins, Assistant Professor of Genetics at the University of California.

At Placerville there has been recently established by James G. Eddy,

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, BEN PULSIFER and LOUDELIA PULSIFER, his wife, did on the 11th day of August, 1926, make, execute and deliver their certain deed of trust, dated the 11th day of August, 1926, to the ANGLO-CALIFORNIA TRUST COMPANY, a Corporation, as trustee, for the benefit of CLIFFORD S. ALLRED, as beneficiary, which said deed of trust was recorded on the 19th day of August, 1926, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Vol. 237 of Official Records, at page 464, and which said deed of trust was given to secure the faithful performance of all obligations contained in said deed of trust and to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of said grantors, payable to said beneficiary, in the principal sum of ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED AND 00/100 DOLLARS (\$1,100.00), and for that purpose conveyed to the said trustee the following described real property situated in the County of San Mateo, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 38 in Block No. 30 as shown on that certain map entitled "Map of the Crocker Estate Tract," Subdivision No. 2, filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County, March 5th, 1912, in Book No. 8 of Maps, at page 3; and

WHEREAS, the said grantors have made default in the payment of said promissory note and in the payment of certain other indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and have defaulted under the terms of said deed of trust and said promissory note; and

WHEREAS, the said CLIFFORD S. ALLRED, as such beneficiary, did heretofore and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided, on the 2nd day of March, 1927, record in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Vol. 237 of Official Records, at page 462, his notice of default and breach of said grantors under the terms of said deed of trust and notice of his election to sell or cause to be sold the said real property, reference to which said notice and the record thereof is hereby made; and

WHEREAS, the said beneficiary has requested and authorized the undersigned trustee to sell the real property described in said deed of trust and hereinabove described, for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness of said BEN PULSIFER and LOUDELIA PULSIFER, his wife;

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to said notice and demand and in accordance with the terms and under the authority of said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee hereby gives notice that default has been made in the payment of the principal and interest of said note and in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and that three months have elapsed since the said recording of said notice, and that Tuesday, the 12th day of July, 1927, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the main entrance to the City Hall, in the City of Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, said trustee will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the hereinabove described real property, or such portion thereof as it may in its discretion deem necessary to sell in order to accomplish the objects of the trust in said deed of trust provided.

All bids and payments shall be made in gold coin of the United States of America at the time of said sale.

The beneficiary under said deed of trust or any other person may purchase at said sale.

Dated: June 10th, 1927.

ANGLO-CALIFORNIA TRUST COMPANY, a Corporation, Trustee.

(SEAL)

By T. C. TILDEN, Vice-President.

By FRED V. VOLLMER, Secretary.

Erwin C. Easton Attorney for Trustee,

315 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, California.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, HARRY S. HANNUM and ARILLA D. HANNUM, his wife, did on the 27th day of October, 1926, make, execute and deliver their certain deed of trust, dated the 27th day of October, 1926, to the ANGLO-CALIFORNIA TRUST COMPANY, a Corporation, as trustee, for the benefit of CLIFFORD S. ALLRED, as beneficiary, which said deed of trust was recorded on the 12th day of November, 1926, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Vol. 237 of Official Records, at page 141, and which said deed of trust was given to secure the faithful performance of all obligations contained in said deed of trust and to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of said grantors, payable to said beneficiary, in the principal sum of ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED AND 00/100 DOLLARS (\$1,100.00), and for that purpose conveyed to the said trustee the following described real property situated in the City of Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 33 in Block 30 as designated on the map entitled "Map of the Crocker Estate Tract," Subdivision No. 2, which map was filed in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, on March 5, 1912, in Volume 8 of Maps at page 3; and

WHEREAS, the said grantors have made default in the payment of said promissory note and in the payment of certain other indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and have defaulted under the terms of said deed of trust and said promissory note; and

WHEREAS, the said CLIFFORD S. ALLRED, as such beneficiary, did heretofore and pursuant to statute in such case made and provided, on the 2nd day of March, 1927, record in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Vol. 237 of Official Records, at page 250, his notice of default and breach of said grantors under the terms of said deed of trust and notice of his election to sell or cause to be sold the said real property, reference to which said notice and the record thereof is hereby made; and

WHEREAS, the said beneficiary has requested and authorized the undersigned trustee to sell the real property described in said deed of trust and hereinabove described, for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness of said HARRY S. HANNUM and ARILLA D. HANNUM, his wife;

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to said notice and demand and in accordance with the terms and under the authority of said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee hereby gives notice that default has been made in the payment of the principal and interest of said note and in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and that three (3) months have elapsed since the said recording of said notice, and that Tuesday, the 12th day of July, 1927, at the hour of 10:15 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the main entrance to the City Hall, in the City of Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, said trustee will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the hereinabove described real property, or such portion thereof as it may in its discretion deem necessary to sell in order to accomplish the objects of the trust in said deed of trust provided.

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The beneficiary under said deed of trust or any other person may purchase at said sale.

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of Seattle, a tree-breeding experiment station, which is dedicated to the development of improved rapid-growing strains of forest trees for use in reforestation in the West.

"Little has as yet been accomplished in the way of producing superior hybrid trees on a large scale, but enough has been done to show that it is desirable to continue investigation," says Professor Collins.

"Genetic information is being called upon to help solve these problems in forestry. Klotzsch began crossing trees in Germany as early as 1845. He claimed that rapidity of growth and durability of timber could be increased by hybridization. Unfortunately, his work was not followed up.

"The possibilities in producing rapid-growing, hardy timber trees was also emphasized by Burbank's publicity on species hybrids in walnuts.

"Augustine Henry, in Ireland, has produced species hybrids of a number of different kinds of trees and has found a marked superiority in vigor of growth of hybrids over parent species in many cases."

Poets are born. Unfortunately, some readers are inclined to believe.

MODERN DECORATION TRACED FROM ANCIENT

Objects of art from all over the world are on exhibit in room 303 of the Household Art building at the University of California in a display that represents all countries and all times.

This exhibit will change from time to time as lectures given by Professor Mary F. Patterson cover the historic background of the household art of Egypt, Greece, Assyria, Persia, India, Rome and the countries of medieval and modern Europe.

Many of the objects in the exhibit at the present time are from the museum of Cairo and many are from India. The most noteworthy from Cairo are some alabaster cups and perfume boxes. There is also an old Egyptian stool.

A wedding gown and ornaments form the principal Indian display. The wedding gown is in green with red, gold and blue trimmings.

Professor Patterson intends to trace the influences of this old household art up through the different periods to the present day. The exhibit is open daily to the public, except Saturdays, Sundays and holidays.

SIDELIGHTS

Scientists of the Department of Agriculture are making a study of the frakfurter, better known as the hot dog, to determine its nutritive value. Consumers will also be interested to know just what is in it.

John J. McGraw has announced that he may retire from active management of the New York Giants after this season and turn the club over to Captain Hornsby, former manager of the St. Louis Cardinals. While McGraw is perhaps the most cordially hated manager in the game, he gets results, and his retirement will be regretted by all lovers of the national sport.

Two lady run-runners, Billie Earnhardt, aged 21, and Chattie Earnhardt, aged 19, her sister-in-law, were caught with 40 gallons of "joy juice" in a small car near Statesville, N. C., officers allege. Being good looking and apparently nice girls otherwise, they were released under bonds of \$300 each.

According to Lady Mills, an English traveler, cannibals of Liberia are epi-

curean in their tastes. They do not like to eat women, whose flesh they say is too bitter, but they are especially fond of steaks from the male human thigh.

An eminent engineer is quoted as saying that it will soon be considered criminal to burn coal in its raw state, because of waste. In the fifteenth century, Edward IV of England made coal burning a crime, because ladies of his court complained that its smoke and fumes impaired their complexions. For violation of the king's edict many were punished, and one persistent offender was hanged.

A modern Pied Piper is Emil Herthel, of Claflin, Kans., who exterminates rats with the aid of eleven efficient ferrets. On one farm he recently destroyed 400 rodents, and on two other farms about 200 each. His services are in demand both in the rural and urban districts.

Neighborly interest and good wishes are voiced by the Bogue correspondent of the Beaumont (N. C.) News, who writes: "The friends of Mrs. Deck Smith are delighted to know that she is very much improved. She being kicked by a mule."

The world's champion optimist is Robert Fredges, who expects to pay his expenses on a world tour by playing the ukelele and taking up collections.

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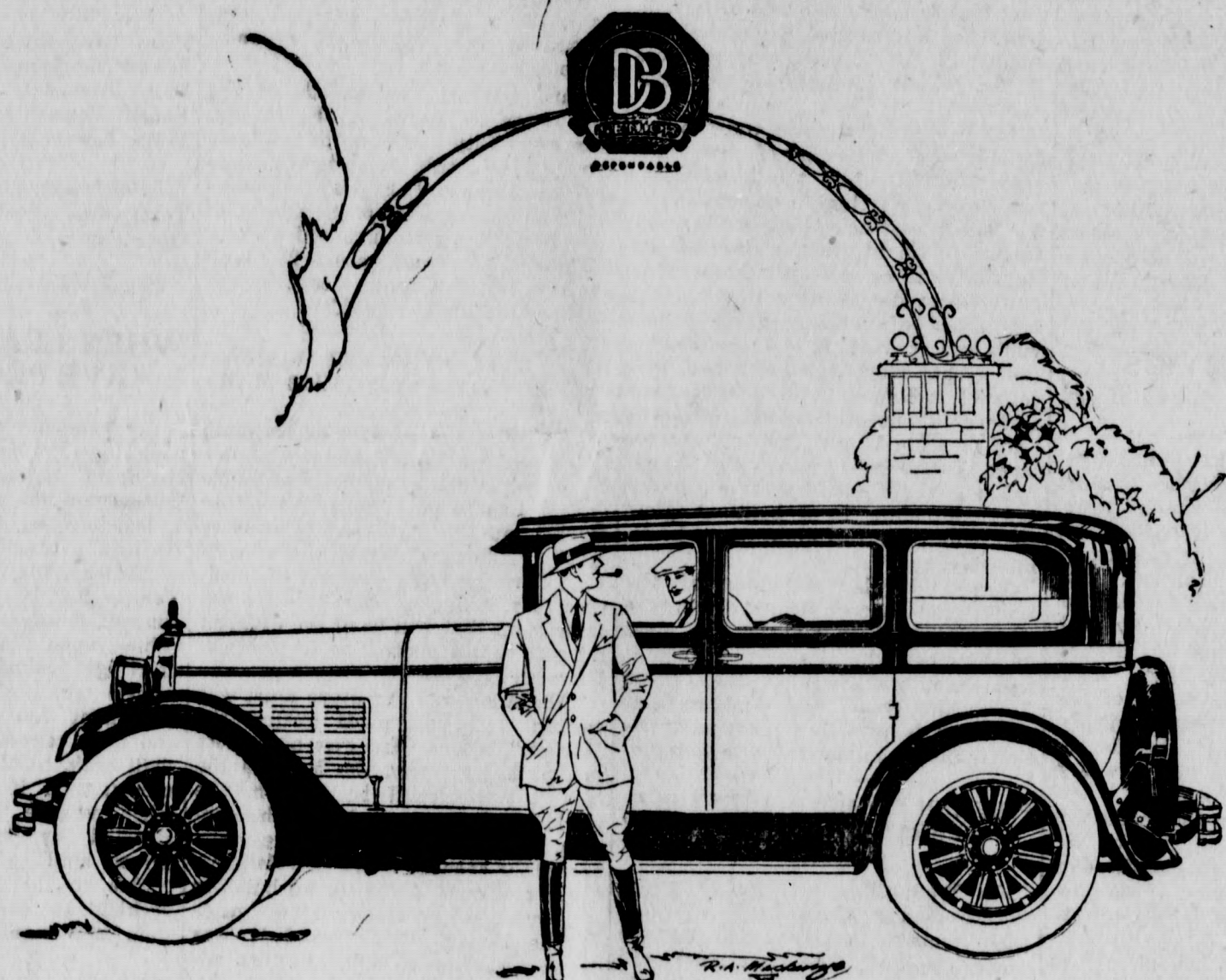
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The bugaboo of descending steep grades probably worries more motorists than any other problem of automobile operation. This is especially true in the eastern and western parts of the United States, where there are hilly or mountainous sections.

Descending a steep grade need not be a hazardous adventure, provided a few simple rules are observed.

Rules for Descending Hills.

If the grade is exceedingly steep, always throw the car into low gear. This offers resistance to the downward pull, because the rear wheels have to "turn the engine over." Always keep the throttle closed, but do not shut off the ignition, as this is not necessary. Driving down a steep grade in this way not only keeps the car under control, but makes excessive use of the brakes unnecessary, thus diminishing brake wear.

To stop the car while descending a grade, apply both the brake and the clutch. But if you want to stop suddenly, apply both brakes and do not touch the clutch until the car is nearly at a standstill. If the rear wheels start to slide, release the brakes for an instant and then apply them again.

When you stop on a grade in the city, not only apply the hand brake and leave the lever in reverse gear, but go further than this to be absolutely safe and turn the front wheels so that one of them rests against the curb.

When You Roll Backwards.

The experience of having your car stall on a grade and start rolling backwards need not be nerve-racking. If this happens when you are on a country road, let the car back towards the side of the road and partly across the road. Of course, you cannot do this if there are ditches. If you cannot steer the car to the side of the road, and the hand and foot brakes are both necessary to keep the car from rolling, shift into neutral and then try to start your engine. Open the throttle about one quarter, shift into first, and then, just as you let in the clutch, release the hand brake and the foot brake at the same time. Brakes that work as efficiently in reverse as forward, do much to prevent "that panicky feeling" when you are forced to stop on a steep grade.

Big Increase in Autos

Predicted for America

That 40,000,000 automobiles will be running about in America by 1940, if the percentage of increase of the past several years is maintained, is the opinion of H. C. Crowell, assistant chief engineer of the Pennsylvania railroad, according to a statement recently before the annual convention of the American Railway Engineering Association at Chicago.

"At present the automobile is taking a prodigious amount of business, both freight and passenger, from the railroads," he said. "In fact, motor competition, along with the additional hundreds of miles of paved roads every year, have cut railroad receipts to the extent that many lines have abandoned formerly profitable suburban schedules.

"Every railroad in America is seeking ways and means of making up this loss, but little progress has been made."

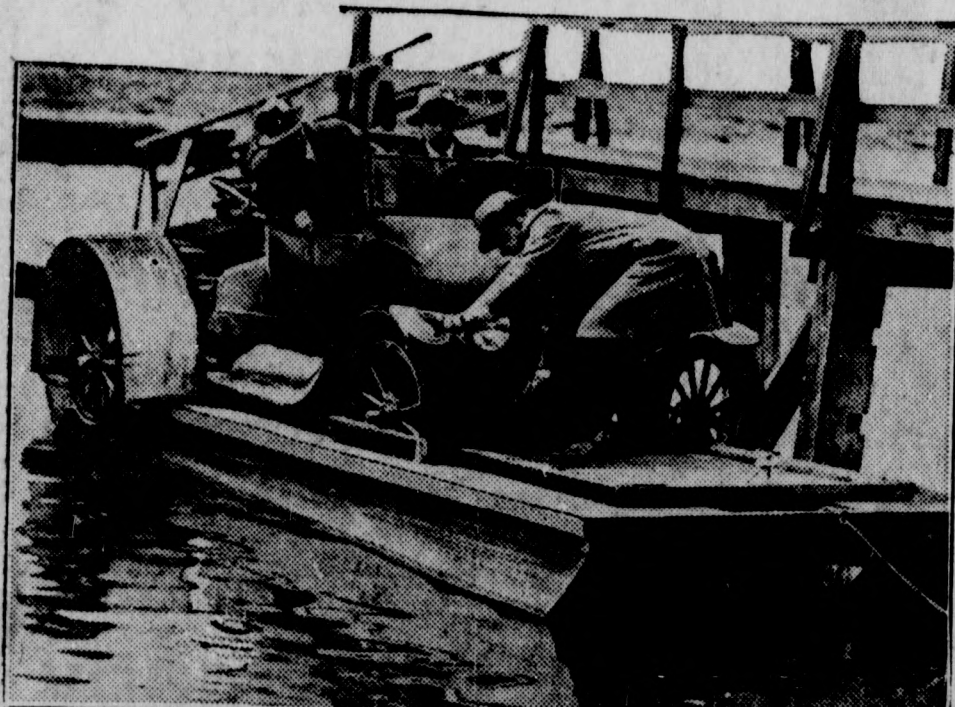
One-Armed Auto Driver

Displays His Dexterity

Outstanding among the 10,000-odd taxi drivers of Paris, France, is Victor Couhard, crippled French war veteran who, though he lost his left arm at Verdun, has since driven 500,000 miles through the streets of Paris without causing a single accident of any kind.

With extraordinary dexterity Couhard manages to make his remaining arm do the work of two. His taxi running at full speed, Couhard lets go of the steering wheel for a fraction of a second so as to enable his only hand to blow the horn at street crossings or apply the emergency brakes, according to circumstances.

LATEST IN NAVIGATION IS SEA FLIVVER



This sea-going flivver, made by Arthur H. Smith of Winthrop, Mass., is made from a discarded auto, a pair of paddle wheels astern and mounted on two pontoons. It works.

Lukewarm Water Should

Be Used to Wash Auto

No automobile owner should forget that unusual care should be taken in washing a new car during the first few months of use.

The best varnish requires considerable time to harden. Even though the car has been out of the factory several months, the paint is soft, and until it hardens, the varnish is easily scratched. Only castile soap or non-alkali soaps should be used for the removal of grease. The castile soap can be obtained in powdered form, and is not of the finest and purest grade. Gasoline is out of the question because it tends to cut and scar the varnish.

Lukewarm water should be used. Hot water will dull the finish, and cold water will not serve well with the soap. Accumulation of mud and dust should be carried off by means of a six-inch stream of water from the hose instead of being washed with a sponge. This point should be watched carefully. It is very easy to scratch the varnish with a sponge, because of the grit collecting underneath it.

After a good rinsing, the varnish should be dried by means of a chamois skin. The chamois skin for this use can be obtained in large sizes. To keep the skin clean, wring it out very often in clear water. A long, straight, sweeping movement of the chamois produces better results than a rotary motion.

Clamp to Hold Inner

Tubes Is Very Handy

When repairing inner tubes on the road, a clamp of the kind shown in the drawing will be found convenient. It consists of a base of one-inch wood and a length of three-fourth inch strap iron, bent to a U-shape to fit snugly around three sides of the wooden base. The ends of the iron



Handy Inner-Tube Clamp.

clamp are drilled and it is then attached to pivot on one end of the base, as indicated. In use, the tube is placed on the base, with the place to be patched in the center, and the clamp is then brought down to hold the tube securely while it is patched. —Vincent J. McMurty, Chicago, in Popular Mechanics Magazine.

AUTOMOBILE HINTS

The worst kind of back-seat driving consists in picking a husband's office help.

A steep cliff and a bad turn seem especially dangerous to an insured car.

Probably none of the other finishes for the car is as lasting as the one acquired in the path of the 7:40 freight.

The most appropriate punishment for the criminally reckless motorist is a sentence to perpetual pedestrianism.

A large firm has been organized in Paris for the production of synthetic gasoline from coal, lignite and their derivatives.

Signs at preferential streets say: "Stop." Most motorists seem to think they only say that for the benefit of the other fellow.

The old-time shot who put notches into his gun handle for his victims, left a grandson who has several dents in his off fender.

CALIFORNIA NEWS BRIEFS

A new effort to have the theory of evolution taught in the public schools of California as an established fact has ended at naught. A plea on the part of Maynard Shipley, president of the Science League of America, that the state board of education rescind its action of a year ago when it ruled that text books dealing with evolution must treat the subject only as a theory, was denied by the educators in session at San Francisco last week.

Frank G. Snook, superintendent of the motor vehicle department has advised motorists and traffic officers that cars equipped with magneto-operated headlights without the use of a battery will be banned from the State highways after September 1. The ban on machines so equipped was enacted by the 1923 Legislature, the time elapsing since then having been given to permit owners to re-equip their cars.

The fine collection of relics, rare antiques of the San Joaquin valley and its pioneers, gathered by Dr. Frank Griffith of Hanford during fifty-four years, is now in the basement of the Municipal Auditorium of that city, labeled and classified. It was purchased by the Exchange Club of Hanford, it is understood at a cost of \$1500 and the city council furnished, free of rent, display space for the exhibit.

Attorney-General U. S. Webb has granted permission to Deane F. Swindell and Lois A. Swindell, Los Angeles, to bring suit against Los Angeles authorities to test the legality of the annexation proceedings and election by which the 3848-acre Sunland addition was joined to the city last year. Of the new acreage annexed under the proceedings, 1181 acres lie within the exterior borders of the Angeles National Forest.

Bold knights of the citizen's military training camp at Del Monte will engage in tourney, twentieth century style, July 23. For the benefit of hundreds of spectators, expected to be present Visitors' Day, that date, students at the camp will present a military tournament. They will strive against each other in competitive events which will include military formations, exercises, races and other forms of training taught at the camp.

Although the season has yet experienced no forest fires of serious consequence, grain crops and pasture lands have suffered considerable losses in various sections of the state. A wheat and barley field near Woodland was destroyed with a loss of \$40,000. 46,000 acres of pasture land near Gustine, Merced county were swept by flames. Thousands of quail perished in this fire. 15,000 acres of grass, valuable for cattle, were destroyed near Walnut Creek, Contra Costa county. A loss of \$15,000 was sustained when 500 acres of wheat and barley in Sutter county were burned in a fire started by sparks from a tractor.

For the second time in two years the R. O. T. C. unit of the University of California at Los Angeles has won distinguished college honors from the War Department, which gives the institution a standing equivalent to that of West Point.

Lack of surface water is given as a cause for the dwindling quail population of the state in protected preserves by Dr. Joseph Grinnell, curator of the museum of vertebrate zoology at the University of California, and editor of The Condor, popular bird magazine. Dr. Grinnell in a survey of the southern part of the state where water is scarce anyway, has found that practically every spring and surface flow has been tapped for domestic consumption. As a result, young quail which must be within 400 yards or walking distance of water, within a few hours of hatching in order to live, usually die.

Although one of the smallest counties in the state, Orange county, because of its intensive agricultural and industrial development during the last few years, is now fifth in the list of the state's richest counties.

Approximately \$1,600,000 has been appropriated by the Federal government for work on the highways of the northern portion of the Sierra Nevada Interpark route, and it is hoped to complete the road through from Edison to Yosemite Valley by 1930.

A school to cost \$15,000 will be erected this summer in La Verne, Los Angeles county, for Mexican children of the region. Inglewood, Los Angeles county, is to have the first home in the country solely for the housing and care of disabled and indigent school teachers, if plans sponsored by the Inglewood Chamber of Commerce at the suggestion of Mrs. Helen M. Murphy, an Inglewood teacher representing the teachers' welfare committee of the California Teachers' Association, southern section, are successful.

To assist with fire prevention during the July holiday period, eight extra men will be placed on duty in the Santa Barbara forest reserve. On July 25, eleven men will be placed at the entrance to the reserve to register persons who enter.

The 1928 encampment of the California and Nevada Department of Veterans of Foreign Wars will be held in Stockton, according to a telegram received at Stockton from Major E. H. Charette, one of the Stockton delegates to the 1927 convention being held in Reno, Nev. Santa Cruz was a close contender for the convention.

California, with Northern California taking the lead, is represented at the Nevada Trans-continental Highways Exposition in a great exhibition of the resources of the Golden State at Reno. The beautiful California Building was found inadequate to meet the demands for space, with the result an annex, a great blue and gold tent, was added.

Restoration work at the San Juan mission is progressing satisfactorily. Fifteen-inch walls are now up to the second floor level. Floor laying is in progress and the building will be practically completed by the last of September.

The interstate commerce commission received formal notice last week that construction on a new sixty-one mile line of railroad, connecting Cornwell, Siskiyou county, Cal., with Alturas, Cal., began June 14th. Alturas is a point on the California-Nevada-Oregon Railroad. Permission to undertake the construction was granted several months ago. When the line is completed it will give the Southern Pacific Company, which controls the Central Pacific Railroad, a through line north from San Francisco into Central Oregon.

Lawrence Abbey of Porterville employed by the Southern California Edison Company as a lineman, received 11,000 volts of electricity and lives to tell the story. While painfully burned on the right hand and right hip, Abby suffered only the inconvenience of a few days in the hospital.

Five crews have been sent to traffic centers of the state in opening a state-wide campaign against overloaded trucks, by the State Division of Motor Vehicles. This number will be increased later in the year, says Frank G. Snook, chief of the division. These crews will have headquarters in the following cities: San Jose for the south coast counties; Fresno for San Joaquin valley; Sacramento for Sacramento valley and Northern Sierra Nevada regions; Ukiah for north coast counties and Santa Ana for Southern California.

Atop the Merced Exchequer dam, Lake McClure was dedicated June 26 to the memory of Wilbur Fisk McClure. More than 100 engineers and their friends from Sacramento, Stockton, San Francisco, Fresno, Los Angeles and other points, journeyed to the Merced Exchequer dam to participate in the ceremonies and assisted in placing a bronze plaque which bears the following inscription: "Lake McClure, named by Merced Irrigation District in honor of Wilbur Fisk McClure, 1857-1926. State engineer, 1912-1926. In appreciation of his lovable character and in recognition of his engineering service in the advancement of irrigation in California."

Hundreds of spectators, including newspaper men, camera men and engineers from throughout the West, gathered on a hillside in the Tehachapi valley last week, saw an entire mountain lifted into the air and dropped, a crumbling mass, when the Monolith Portland Cement Company fired the largest charge of dynamite ever placed in a cement quarry in the United States. One hundred tons of dynamite was exploded under the mountain, which will supply the kilns of the cement plant for another year.

Assailing the intricacies of jurisdiction, which have brought about a serious neglect of the health, education and general well-being of the 17,000 Indians in California, the State Department of Public Welfare, in a report recently made public, declares that the Indian problem is an ordinary but much neglected social problem, which calls for carefully planned constructive social service for immediate improvement.

Victim of a living death, Mrs. Clara Drummond, 20, of Fresno, has completed the thirteenth week of a strange coma that has attracted nationwide attention. Her condition has not changed since April 4, when she was discovered unconscious in a gas-filled room at her home. Medical science has done all in its power to break the strange coma, which points, according to doctors who have been treating her, to certain death. At the County General Hospital she lies inert, breathing, but that is all. Physicians are certain that she is suffering from gas poisoning. Mrs. Drummond has stubbornly clung to life for more than 2000 hours in a semi-comatose condition, although she is unable to eat, speak, hear, see, move her limbs or body. She is forcibly fed through the nostrils with peptonized milk and orange juice.

A. Baranoff, 57 years of age, said to have the title of Count and to be a member of one of Russia's old noble families, died at Silver Lake last week as a result of heat prostration. The asserted nobleman, accompanied by two Los Angeles business men, entered Death Valley to look over some prospective mining sites. They became lost and were forced to remain out in the desert during a whole day without water. After locating water, Baranoff is said to have consumed too much and became ill. His companions took him to Silver Lake. There he became prostrated and died. He was buried at Silver Lake by his companions.

For the purpose of transferring a surplus fund, now in the special sewer-construction fund, in order that the money may be made available for construction of a municipal playground and swimming pool, a municipal election will probably be called in Tulare at an early date.

Pasadena's telephones were switched to the dial system of operation at midnight June 25. The operation occupied but seven minutes' of time, which is a world's record for magnitude and speed, according to officials of the Home Telephone and Telegraph Company, which operates the system.

RADIO

Reception O. K'd by Music Critics

Improved Audio Amplification Elevates Radio to Higher Plane.

By JOHN F. RIDER
in Radio World.

The cause of the objections voiced by musicians against radio as a medium of musical entertainment has been removed. Simultaneously, with the same stroke, the goal of engineers interested in the development of audio-frequency amplification has been attained. This step was accomplished by one who has made many noteworthy contributions to the science of radio transmission and reception—H. P. Donle, the eminent physicist and engineer. His patents cover such well-known items as the alkaline vapor tube, better known as the sodion tube; the spiderweb coil, and many gas content tubes used in radio. The audio-frequency achievement is the development of a new system of such amplification known as triphonic, utilizing new electrical principles of operation. The electrical phenomena utilized for the energy transfer between the circuits in this system is not to be found in existing systems and is the development of the inventor.

Timbre Kept Constant.

The greatest objection voiced by musicians against radio as a medium of conveying music has been that the reproduction was not natural; that is, it was either low pitched or high pitched. Furthermore, that the relationship in amplitude of the fundamental and harmonic frequencies when reproduced was not the same as that of the signal when transmitted into the microphone. A variance in this relationship changes the timbre of the sound, and a soprano sounds like a contralto and a violin like a cello. They also claimed that due consideration was not accorded by the receiver engineers to the electrical laws and physical laws pertaining to the conversion of sound into electrical energy, and the reception of this electrical energy and its re-conversion back into sound. Musicians agreed that when these laws are given consideration and the proper relationship maintained between the fundamental and the overtone frequencies, the reproduction in the home of the fan will be natural.

Impartial Amplification.

This new system fulfills the requirements and consequently nullifies the objections. The frequency range of the triphonic coupling units is from 37 to 10,000 cycles, with a practically flat curve between 80 and 10,000 cycles. This means that the amplitude relationships between the frequencies of a complex wave within this band will be retained without any accentuation or attenuation. In other words, if a soprano sang a 1,200-cycle note, which contained for the sake of argument the third, fifth and seventh harmonics with amplitude relationship of respectively 30, 5 and 2 per cent of the fundamental, they would be amplified uniformly and the amplitude of the fundamental and the harmonics would vary in the same proportion. This would make possible natural reproduction. If the fifth and seventh harmonics were attenuated, the timbre of the soprano's voice would be altered, and the reproduction would not be natural.

Another salient feature of this new system is the minimization of phase angle distortion in the coupling unit and tube combinations. This form of distortion is very seldom considered in the design of the average audio-frequency amplifier, and is extensively present in many cases.

How System Works.

The operating principle of this new system of audio-frequency amplification is the attainment of energy transfer through a medium of balanced electro-magnetic coupling and capacitive coupling, a system dissimilar to existing systems of audio-frequency amplification. The system is nonoscillating, and adaptable to average conditions without necessitating any special equipment. The standard tubes used for audio amplification are satisfactory.

The design of the units comprising an individual coupling unit differ as much physically from conventional audio-frequency coupling units as does the principle of operation from any conventional system. The balance between the electro-magnetic coupling and the capacitive coupling is automatic within each unit, as to frequency and the amount of power passed into the system.

Rejuvenating Tubes

The success of rejuvenating tubes depends upon the equipment used as well as the ability of the operator to use it properly. Many make a mistake in overloading the tube without following it up with a gradual period of reverse is the situation, as, for instance, where the operator decides to give the old tube a 20-minute period of just moderate overloading, failing to give it a good shot of power at the outset.

Wave Trap Eliminates

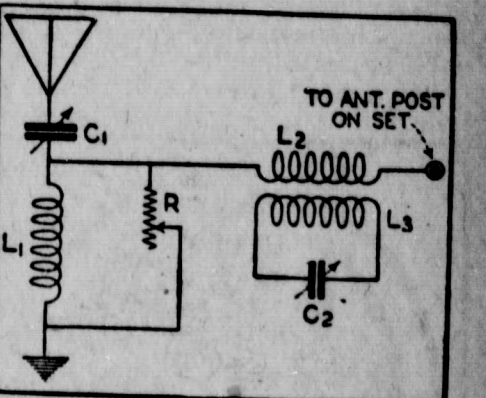
Station Interference

A filter, or wave, trap which will eliminate station interference is shown in the illustration. Its construction is fairly simple, there being only two parts, although the adjustment of this filter is somewhat complicated. However, once adjusted, it needs no further handling or dial twisting. The parts necessary for this wave are as follows:

- 1 variable condenser, .001-mf. low-loss type;
- 1 variable condenser, .0005-mf. low-loss type;
- 1 variable resistance, 0-25,000 ohms;
- 2 bakelite tubes, 3 inches in diameter, 4 1/2 inches long;
- 1/2 pound No. 22 DSC wire.

L1 consists of 55 turns wound on one of the tubes, L3 is 45 turns wound on the remaining tube. L2 is wound on top of L3, but is separated from it by a sheet of empire cloth, or waxed paper, and has ten turns. C1 is the .001-mf. variable condenser. The theory of this wave trap is as follows:

The incoming signal flows through coils L1 and L2. The circuit comprising L1 and C1 is tuned to the frequency of the interfering station, and the condenser is then set at that position. The circuit including C2 and C3 is what is commonly termed an absorption circuit. The condenser of this circuit is rotated until the signal of the interfering station is heard at a minimum strength. The circuit, when



Efficient Wave Trap Which Can Be Constructed at Low Cost.

In resonance with the interfering station, will absorb almost all of the energy received from that station. The energy is received from coil L2, which is closely coupled to L3, and is also closely coupled to L1. In this way signals of other stations will be allowed to pass through, but that of the interfering station is dissipated in the absorption circuit. The resistance across L1 and C1 serves as a static leak, and is variable to obtain the best adjustment possible.—Radio News.

Wire Skinning Device

Made From Battery Clip

In using the popular rubber-covered stranded hook-up wire, considerable trouble was experienced in skinning the ends for connections until the following simple tool was devised. It consists of a large battery-connection clamp, the teeth of which are filed smooth. A small notch in the jaws,



Insulation Remover That Is Made From a Battery Clip.

roughly the size of the skinned wire, is also made with a file. With this little tool you can do a neater job in a fraction of the time necessary to skin this type of wire with a knife, and there is no danger of cutting the fine strands of the wire.—Radio News.

Leaky Transformer Put

All Sets to Humming

One of the most bothersome things to an owner of a radio set is the location of a leaky electric transformer in his neighborhood.

Radio owners of Walterboro, S. C., recently had so much trouble with their sets that the sale of radios decreased considerably. A radio dealer put experts on the job, who spent a whole day going over the city trying to locate the trouble, but it was not until evening, when the electric lighting lines were used, that they found it. It all was centered in a leaky transformer. As soon as it was repaired the buzz-sawing that had annoyed the radio fans disappeared.

Positive Phone Cords

Head-phones, generally speaking, operate the best when the positive side of the phones is connected to the positive lead of the "B" battery. Some phone cords are marked with a red stripe to indicate the positive cord of the phones. But if the phone cord tips are not marked try them connected one way and then reverse these connections. The positive side will be indicated by the connection that gives the clearest and loudest signals.

Make New Radio Tube

Production of a radio tube which embodies the elements of three ordinary tubes together, with two stages of amplification, is reported to have been accomplished in Germany. This tube is only slightly more expensive than other types, it is said, and radio development is expected to be materially advanced by this invention. At present crystal and one-tube sets predominate in that country.

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WHO IS A SUCCESS?

Much of the literature addressed to youth is surcharged with advice as to how to become successful in life. And by "successful" is generally meant "prominent" or "wealthy," or both. Mere comfort or happiness appears to have little place in the popular idea of success.

Particularly in picturing the glories of the business career do our success authorities and efficiency experts stress the virtues of aggressiveness, enterprise and other qualities generally comprehended by the word "push." One ideal held up to the young man is the high-powered salesman, who if he have nothing else to sell must "sell himself" to some eager employer at a princely salary, made possible by a short correspondence course to develop "personality."

But a few thoughtful persons here

and there have begun to rebel against this everlasting preaching and practice of "push." They are getting weary of the ballyhoo of the boosters, and the eternal striving to get ahead of one's neighbor. It is a good sign that a few recent writers have sensed the futility of it all and have begun to tell us how ridiculous it is.

Legitimate efforts to obtain a competency and comfort are most commendable, but the blatant go-getter, who subordinates all the finer things of life to mere money-grubbing and social climbing is getting tiresome. In his own shallow conceit he may imagine that he is a success, but to those who have a real appreciation of values he is a rather dismal failure.

TO THE LAST DROP

Some years ago a wag asserted the meat packers extracted a profit from every part of the pig except his squeal. We are coming to a similar situation with respect to the utilization of other resources.

Perhaps it is not exactly patriotic to say so, but the fact is that the Germans are leading the world in the extraction of valuable products from nature's raw materials.

Only last October German chemists put into practical operation a new process for extracting nitrogen from the air which has almost overnight revolutionized the fertilizer industry. Now they have found use for by-products of that process which promises to have an important bearing upon the world's fuel problem.

A recent official report from Berlin states that through its synthetic nitrate process, the German dye trust produces an unlimited quantity of hydrogen, heretofore a surplus by-product. But now this hitherto unimportant by-product is being used to convert lignite and other inferior coals into coal oil, gas, tar residue, benzene and Diesel oil.

Verifying the old adage that "necessity is the mother of invention," the Germans are utilizing their natural resources to a degree not approached by any other country. They are proving that, as asserted of a certain American household necessity, these resources are "good to the last drop."

Atlanta's Chamber of Commerce secretary is fittingly named Barker.

FLYERS SAVE LIVES

Owing to the magnitude of the rescue work entailed in the saving of lives in the recent Mississippi floods, hundreds of cases of real heroism passed unnoticed by the press.

It is gratifying that one phase of the relief effort has been given suitable recognition in a recent statement by Secretary Hoover, who has been in personal touch with the flood situation for several weeks. He paid tribute to the bravery and resourcefulness of the airmen who aided in locating and directing relief to marooned persons in the flooded districts, in a published interview, in which he said:

"The work of the aviators in the flooded districts has been an unexampled display of courage. Twice each day they made flights over the flooded area, detecting refugees and conditions generally, which were reported to relief headquarters, making possible the rescue of those stranded close to the rising waters. Thousands of persons owe their lives to the bravery of these men."

Think of what that means. Thousands were saved by the bravery of American aviators.

We rightly deplore the loss of many intrepid airmen who meet death through their exploits in the air. But when we consider the vastly greater number of persons whose lives have been saved by their skill and courage, who can say that aviation is not in the long run a great boon to humanity?

A MODERN MIRACLE

Science may yet set at naught the old simile "Like looking for a needle in a haystack." It recently came near doing it when a small tube of radium was found buried under refuse at the Florence, Alabama, city dump.

The container, holding about \$4,000 worth of the precious metal, disappeared from the Coffee hospital in Florence. It was suspected that it had been accidentally carried away in the hospital garbage. Acting upon this supposition, the insurance company which had insured the stuff for \$3,500 employed a college professor to test the garbage dump with a device known as an electroscope. This instrument contains substances delicately susceptible to emanations from radium.

After two or three days of unsuccessful exploration under adverse weather conditions, a clear day provided the opportunity for a decisive test. The electroscope responded with chemical reactions which led to the location of the radium tube under four feet of rubbish.

The insurance company was saved a substantial sum, even after paying for the search, and the costly radium, of which there is but a very limited quantity in the world, was saved for humanity.

While there is nothing strange about the proceeding to those who understand the chemical properties of the substances concerned, to the uninitiated it looked very much like a miracle. In one sense it was a miracle, but only another of the miracles which modern science performs every day of our lives.

About 70 per cent of the homes in Nebraska villages have telephones, according to a recent study by an organization of women's clubs, covering 67 villages with populations of less than 1,000 each.

Some one should offer a prize for a new argument for or against prohibition.

Many who consider themselves leaders will follow a golf ball all day.

HIGHBROW REPORTEE

Distinguished men of letters recently met in London to consider problems of the English language, under the auspices of the Royal Society of Literature. A council of fifty Americans and fifty Englishmen was proposed to investigate disputed usages of words.

George Bernard Shaw is said to have asked whether the executive committee would "co-opt" with other members of the council. Robert Underwood Johnson, former American ambassador to Italy, replied, "I have never heard of the word 'co-opt' in my life."

Henry Sidel Canby, of New York, suggested that the council should be composed of men who "know their stuff." Shaw said, "In other words, distinguished deadheads."

One delegate wanted to know whether any high-class writer ever misused the words "who" and "whom." Prof. Wilson of the Royal Society promptly replied, "Yes, William Shakespeare."

The new council promises to add some picturesque touches to "English as she is spoke."

PROTECT THE PIONEERS

When a man invents something, or writes something, that no one else ever invented or wrote, the patent and copyright laws protect him in order that he may receive the fruits of his original effort.

Now, why can't the same protection be given to pioneers in other lines of indoor and outdoor sport?

Think of what it would have meant to Gertrude Ederle, for example, if she could have barred all other ladies from the Channel swim until she had fully cashed in on her epoch-making feat. But while her managers were dickering and spurning offers for her appearance in vaudeville and movies, another lady, Mrs. Corson, mother of two children, up and does the same stunt.

A similar fate befell George Young, who was the first to swim Catalina Channel.

Then there was Commander Byrd, who was first to fly over the North Pole. Before the shouting died away Amundsen, Ellsworth and Nobile negotiated the same trip, and honors had to be shared even with Nobile's pet terrier, which was also a passenger on the Norge.

Recently Lindbergh stirred the enthusiasm of the whole world by flying from New York to Paris, but before he got home, Chamberlain and Levine beat his distance and horned in on the publicity.

It ain't right. The pioneers ought to have the limelight all alone for a specified period.

We propose a new law: The first fellow to fly to the moon and back should be allowed to hold undisputed sway on the front page for a whole year before anyone else is permitted to do it.

We must protect the pioneers.

PUBLIC FUNDS FOR BENEFIT OF THE PUBLIC

No amount of officialism can make a farmer, but federal funds can accomplish wonders in hunting out and destroying bugs and parasites that affect farming. For instance, the white fly that has almost destroyed sugar beet culture in some otherwise ideal beet sections of the West.

The federal hunters have been chasing this pest. They have not yet learned the last vital facts that will make its eradication sure; but they are as certain to succeed as the bloodhound is to find his quarry.

To cut funds from the support of the bug hunters who are on the trail of the deadly sugar fly and other like pests, is to cripple American farming and to invite the foreign sugar grower to work his will on every American home.

Bring your printing to the Record.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

The Jefferson Union High School District will receive bids for the following materials and labor:

For the furnishing of labor, motors, pumps, tanks, casing, etc., necessary for the installation of a complete pumping system in accordance with specifications on file with J. A. Kennedy, Superintendent of Daly City Water Works.

Certified check of 10 per cent should accompany bid.

Bids will be opened in the office of above High School in Daly City, on the evening of July 11th, 1927, at 8 P. M. o'clock.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Signed: ADOLPH GEHRINGER, President.
STELLA L. JENSEN, Clerk.
TRUMAN BENTLEY, Lewis W. Stark, LILLAH BROWN, Trustees.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

The Trustees of the Jefferson Union High School District will receive bids for the following materials and labor:

For the construction of a one story reinforced concrete building as per plans and specifications on file with the Clerk of the Board.

The building to be constructed at the new well site, on the property of the High School off Mission Street, Daly City, California.

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NEW STATE THEATRE

SATURDAY, JULY 9

RICHARD DIX in

PARADISE FOR TWO

"MELTING MILLIONS"

KIDDIE REVUE

SUNDAY, JULY 10

KEN MAYNARD in

THE OVERLAND STAGE ALASKAN ADVENTURES

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, JULY 11 AND 12

LON CHANEY in

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 13

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SPECIAL PROGRAM

THURSDAY, JULY 14

SHIRLEY MASON in

ROSE OF THE TENEMENTS

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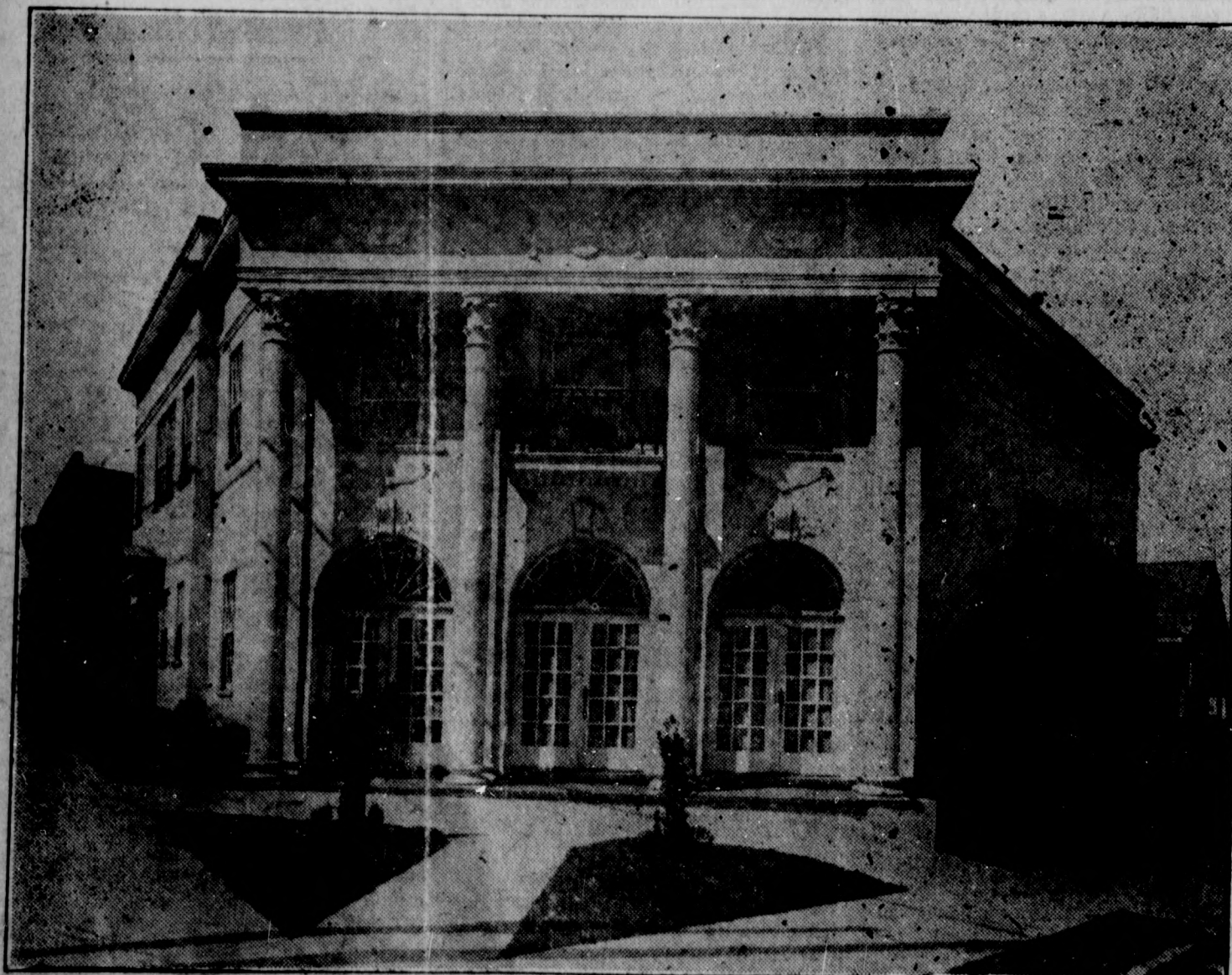
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Colma News Notes

Mr. R. Durbin is very ill at the present time.

A meeting of El Carmelo Parlor was held in Masonic Hall, Daly City, last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. M. P. Henderson is spending her vacation at Camp Echo, in the Sierras. She writes that she is having a most enjoyable time.

The ladies of Holy Angels' church will hold a monster benefit whist on Thursday, August 18, in the church hall. All proceeds will be used for the church.

There will be no Community Center whist this month, because of the vacation period. Watch the Record for the announcement of the first fall whist of the Center.

The drill team of El Carmelo Parlor No. 181, Native Daughters of the Golden West, will resume its weekly meetings in the Daly City Auditorium commencing this Friday evening.

Myrtle Durbin spent the holidays in Big Basin, visiting her sister Esther, who is spending her vacation there with friends. Esther will return home next week, after a two weeks' vacation in the redwoods.

David Arata, who has the local agency for the Dodge Brothers Senior Line Six, is now displaying the latest models at his place of business. Mr. Arata desires all who wish to see these beautiful Dodge cars to visit his show rooms, where they will have an opportunity to examine these late models.

Mrs. R. Fischer, of Colma is leaving for Yosemite next week.

Mrs. Sylvia H. Fischer is sporting a new Jordan Eight convertible roadster.

Ralph Riches has returned from a three weeks' trip to Alaska with his father.

Miss Rosa Bauer returned home Monday after spending two weeks with her aunt in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Fischer and Bennie Haubrich have returned from Capitola by the Sea, where they spent the Fourth of July.

Jocko, well known monkey in the San Francisco Auto Camp, Colma, beloved pet of Mr. and Mrs. Ratto, passed away Tuesday. The monkey had freed himself and while on his rampage got hold of some ant poison, which killed him.

There will be no whists by the Colma Volunteer Fire Department during July, August and September, as these are the strong vacation months. However, the department will hold its regular monthly meetings on Thursday evenings as usual.

Work on the "bottleneck" has been slowed down somewhat, pending litigation over several small bits of property. No night shift is working at this time. The Market Street Railway is moving and replacing its old rails. The Southern Pacific will build a wider, Class A steel bridge in place of its present concrete bridge over the highway.

Mrs. Lorraine Wall, Mrs. Stephen Fischer and Mrs. Josephine McFarland have returned from Modesto, where they represented El Carmelo Parlor No. 181, Native Daughters of the Golden West, at the Grand Parlor convention. They also visited Jamestown, Sonoma and Columbia.

Three Japanese were injured last Sunday night when the automobile in which they were riding was caught between two Market Street Railway cars in the Mission street "bottleneck" at Colma. The automobile was completely demolished, and its five occupants were thrown out by the shock of the collision. They were treated by Dr. E. E. P. Gocher at the South San Francisco hospital. The accident tied up holiday travel for some time, as it was necessary to call the fire department to extricate the automobile from between the two street cars.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their sympathy and beautiful floral offerings on the occasion of the death of our darling daughter and sister.

MR. AND MRS. JAMES CALLAN AND FAMILY.

Lon Chaney showed his versatility as an actor when he starred in "Tell it to the Marines," as this is an entirely different kind of picture from what he is usually seen in. "Tell it to the Marines" comes to the State Theatre Monday and Tuesday, July 11 and 12, and if you want to see Lon Chaney at his best, don't miss this one.

"PEN" GOES BROKE

The Louisiana state penitentiary is bankrupt, busted, broke. It is said that it may go out of business for lack of funds. This sounds like a joke, but it isn't.

Harry C. Pitcher, manager of the institution, declares that for several months the penitentiary has been unable to meet its bills, and its credit is practically exhausted.

This condition has been brought about through a provision in the appropriation bill for the prison's maintenance which requires that funds to meet its expenses must be provided from its earnings. An increase in the number of inmates, poor crop conditions, low sugar prices and flood losses are said to have conspired to put the penitentiary into virtual bankruptcy.

Unless the legislature shall authorize the borrowing of about half a million dollars until the present year's crops can be marketed, it appears that the inmates must be turned loose.

There is material for a comic opera in this situation.

Shirley Mason in "Rose of the Tenements" and George K. Arthur in "Sunny Side Up" make up the bill scheduled for the State Theatre next Thursday, July 14.

EAGLES TO HOLD PICNIC

Golden Gate Aerie No. 61, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will hold their annual picnic on Sunday, July 17, at Fairfax Park, Marin county. Robert M. Reilly, the chairman, reports a large advance sale of tickets. The Aeries around the Bay counties have made arrangements to attend the picnic 5,000 strong. Last year's attendance was over 12,000, and the committee is trying to beat that record this year. The day will be devoted to dancing, games and races for both young and old.

"Scotch Gave us Golf."—Headline. Now, who said the Scotch were not generous.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

In the Matter of the Estate of Eugenio Pescaro, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Laura Pescaro, executrix of the last will and testament of Eugenio Pescaro, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix at the office of Messrs. Ross & Ross, First National Bank Building, Redwood City, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.
Dated this 29th day of June, A. D. 1927.
LAURA PESCARO,
Executrix of the last will and testament of Eugenio Pescaro, deceased.
Ross & Ross, Attorneys for Executrix.
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DIVIDEND NOTICE

BANK OF ITALY
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For the half-year ending June 30, 1927, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after July 1, 1927.

Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of interest as the principal from July 1, 1927.

SAVINGS DEPOSITS made to and including MONDAY, JULY 11, 1927, will earn interest FROM JULY 1, 1927.

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President.

Great Not All From World's High Places

Who would have expected that Gollath's antagonist would emerge from the quiet pastures? "Genius hatches her offspring in strange places." Very humble homes are the birthplaces of mighty emancipations, once said the late Doctor Jowett.

There was a little farm at St. Ives, and the farmer lived a quiet and unsensational life. But the affairs of the nation became more and more confused and threatening. Monarchical power despoiled the people's liberties, and tyranny became rampant. And out from the little farm strode Oliver Cromwell, the ordained of God, to emancipate his country.

There was an obscure rectory at Epworth. The doings in the little rectory were just the quiet practices of simple homes in countless parts of England. And England was becoming brutalized, because its religious life was demoralized. The church was asleep, and the devil was wide awake! And forth from the humble rectory strode John Wesley, the appointed champion of the Lord, to en- thusi, to purify, and to sweeten the life of the people.

On what quiet farm is the coming deliverer now laboring? Who knows?—Exchange.

Spirit of Tolerance

Recompense for Age

I would not advise anyone to grow old without tolerably good health. There are innumerable rules for preserving that, but the best one is common sense. Muscle and health are not the same thing. Some of the most athletic men I have known worried most about their health.

Hardly anything is worse for health than fussing about it. Probably just fussing—pointless fretting, stewing and boiling over—makes as much trouble in the world as anything else. Particularly, I should say, fussing about one's neighbors; raging and fretting because other persons will not do what you believe they ought to do, or think or vote as you would have them. It is worth while to grow old if only to learn the peace that passeth understanding which comes merely from a willingness to let other persons alone.

Perhaps only experienced age can concede, with a free and unfeigned heart, that its neighbors have a perfect right to wear red flannel underclothes and hang them over the front porch railing to dry if they wish to. Having achieved that state of mind, one is in a condition to enjoy life.—Will Payne in the Saturday Evening Post.

To Perpetuate His Name

Greeley wrote in his "Recollections of a Busy Life": "Fame is a vapor; popularity an accident; riches take wings; the only earthly certainty is oblivion; no man can foresee what a day can bring forth; while those who cheer today will often curse tomorrow; and yet I cherish the hope that the journal I projected and established will live and flourish long after I shall have moldered into forgotten dust, being guided by a larger wisdom, a more unerring sagacity to discern the right, though not by an unflinching readiness, to embrace and defend it at whatever personal cost, and that the stone which covers my ashes may bear to future eyes the still intelligible inscription, 'Founder of the New York Tribune.'"—From "Horace Greeley," by Don C. Seitz.

Friends

After all this, treat thy friend nobly, love to be with him, do to him all the worthinesses of love and fair endearment, according to thy capacity and his . . . Give him gifts and upbraid him not, and refuse not his kindnesses, and be sure never to despise the smallness or the impropriety of them . . . So must the love of friends sometimes be refreshed with material and low caresses, lest by striving to be too divine it become less human; it must be allowed its share of both; it is human in giving pardon and fair construction, and openness and ingenuity, and keeping secrets; it hath something that is divine because it is beneficent; but much because it is eternal.—Jeremy Taylor.

Unfortunate Letter

In English the letter "e" occurs most frequently, says Frank H. Vizetelly, the dictionary sharp. But it is the most unfortunate character in the alphabet because it is always out of cash, forever in debt, never out of danger and in hell all the time. It has its bright side, too, for it is never in war and always in peace. It is the beginning of existence, the commencement of ease and the end of trouble. Without it there would be no meat, no life and no heaven. It is the center of honesty, makes love perfect, and without it there would be no editors, no printers, no news and no announcements!—Exchange.

Sterling Silver

Sterling silver is silver of a guaranteed purity, which is 925 parts of pure silver in 1,000 parts of the metal; the remainder is copper. The Federal Hallmark act of 1906, relating to gold and silver in interstate and foreign commerce, forbids the marking or labeling of silver as "sterling" unless it is within four-thousandths of this standard. Articles marked "coin silver" should contain 900 parts of pure silver in 1,000 parts of the metal.

TELEPHONE PIONEERS TO MEET IN COLORADO

The Telephone Pioneers of America will hold their 1927 convention at Colorado Springs, Colo. It will take place from September 19 to 21 and will bring to Colorado between 900 and 1200 delegates. Last year the convention was held in New York City and the year before in Washington, D. C.

The present President of the organization is James T. Moran, President of the Southern New England Telephone Company. The Telephone Pioneers of America is composed of men and women who have been connected with the telephone business for the last twenty-one years. At the present time the organization contains over 11,000

NOTICE OF TIME APPOINTED FOR PROBATE OF WILL

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

Probate—No. 4230.

In the Matter of the Estate of Jennie McKay, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 21st day of July, A. D. 1927, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, and the Court Room—Probate—of said Court, at the Court House in Redwood City, in the County of San Mateo, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Jennie McKay, deceased, and for hearing the application of Delia Hanson for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary thereon.

(SEAL) ELIZABETH M. KNEESE, Clerk.

W. H. Clay, Attorney for Petitioner, 600-602 Pacific Building, San Francisco, California.

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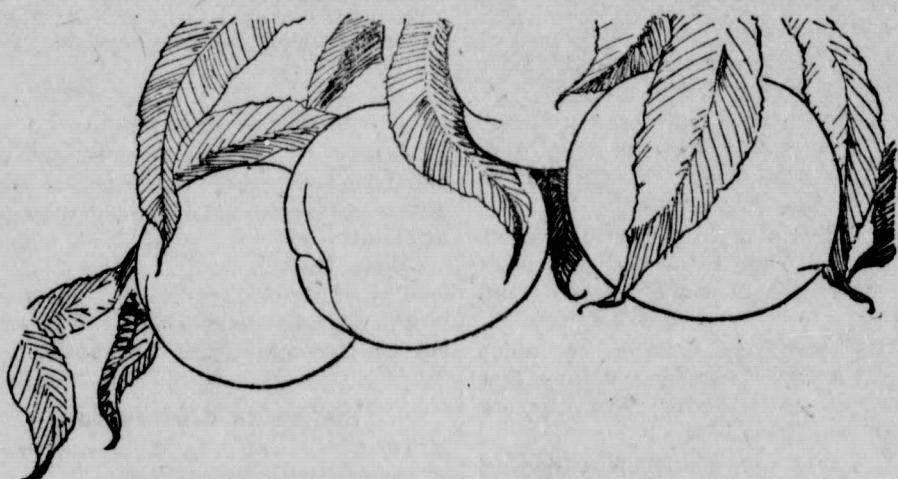
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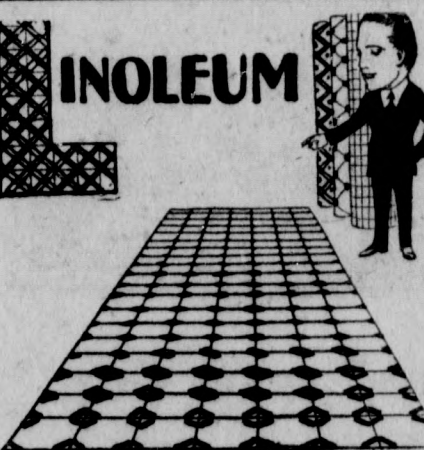
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William Shakespeare's emergence from practical poverty to comparative wealth near the close of the Sixteenth century was not the result of his play writing, but the earnings of his shares in the Globe and Blackfriars theaters.

His plays brought some returns, but not nearly enough at that time to enable him to buy New Place, the most imposing residence, with one exception, in Stratford. It is estimated that his shares paid him about \$1,500 a year, equal to perhaps \$12,000 at the present time. At about this time he received substantial sums from performances at court, and his fees as an actor and dramatist increased.

Previously he had at times been unable to remain clear of debt. In the tax records it is revealed that he was in arrears in 1596 when he moved from Shoreditch to Southwark, and later he paid the overdue taxes in installments. His wife also found it difficult to make both ends meet. Some time before 1596 she borrowed a sum from her father's shepherd and she had not repaid in 1601.

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"Clip" Made Trouble

A cook in Rockland, Maine, shaved his head and bumped into trouble right away. Being in such close proximity to the penitentiary at Thomaston, he was arrested on suspicion of being an escaped convict. He had much difficulty in convincing the police that he had merely removed his hair to avoid getting grease into it when he was frying food.

Long Forgotten Isles

Somebody in Whitehall has discovered that at least one group of the British Isles has not yet been surveyed and officially mapped, and a government expedition is being sent to St. Kilda to do the job. Forty-three persons, sharing five surnames among them, dwell on the main island of the group, which is about 100 miles west of the mainland of Scotland.

Infant Prodigies

Sousa says that "every child needs music and should be given musical instruction." Well and good, as long as we don't have to listen to programs on which appear more than six or eight children who can almost play the violin or piano.

Inversely True

He—I've had this car for years and never had a wreck.
She—You mean you've had this wreck for years and never had a car.
—Everybody's Weekly.

More to the Purpose

Wife—I asked the cook for references.
Hubby—Silly. You should have asked for samples.

Facts and Fancies

"There's always something broke about that auto of yours."
"There is when I'm around."

A saving of \$25,000,000 a year in expenditures for the printing of checks, drafts and vouchers is being effected by the adoption of standardized forms.

Why are more and more colleges needed? Because they are the greatest civilizing agency known.

We make jokes about our little superstitions, but we don't give them up.

In buying a large lot for your bungalow, remember mowing the lawn.

A platitude may be a good maxim.

Two-Piece Sports Dress for Summer

Jacket Adds Smart Touch to Youthful Frocks Now in Limelight.

The vogue that introduced a coat for every dress in the ensemble mode for spring and summer has added a jacket to many of the sports frocks that will make the summer an extremely smart one sartorially.

In general, the youth-giving novelties that exert so wide an appeal are found incorporated into the group of summer clothes labeled sports. As a matter of fact, sports clothes are worn for occasions other than active sports, and particularly in the summer time make their appearance at all times except for strictly formal occasions.

In general, the straight line is strictly adhered to in sports models, but it generally possesses smart details in achieving this straight effect. The sports ensemble is extremely important. Often several colors and fabrics are combined, but they are always worked together to maintain the basic ensemble idea.

Both one and two-piece modes prevail in chic, but almost always they possess a plaited skirt, box plaits being most often used. The blouse is either straight or broken by a bolero movement. Necks are V-shaped, square or round. Geometric lines are the basis of the sports mode with vertical, horizontal, diagonal, curved, diamond-shaped or zigzagged lines shown through tucks, pipings, stitchings, braid and cut.

The jacket that plays so important a role in the sports mode may accom-



Showing an Open Jacket Scalloped at the Edges.

pany a frock in exact fabric and color and may introduce both new tone and material.

Jean Arthur, motion-picture actress, appearing in the film, "The Poor Nut," has selected a smart sports outfit which introduces the new jacket treatment. It is an open jacket smartly scalloped at the edges and is in a lovely shade of blue, while the frock itself is of white. An artist's bow of dotted silk is worn at the neck, and also forms a colorful handkerchief in the jacket pocket.

Buttons to Ornament Short Sports Jackets

On some of the short sports jackets a few buttons are used as an ornamental detail or, in those cut in the tuxedo style, one or two as a fastening far down in front. In the matter of trimming other ways are employed by the different designers, French and American, particularly in these lighter versions of sports dress. Nothing is really elaborate, of course, but a touch of something that adds decorative detail is shown in many of the better sports costumes. On some are shown a bit of needlework, embroidery, cross-stitch, or cloth patterns applied. The peasant embroidery and crochet edgings are particularly good, and besides these are braid, ribbon in bands and motifs and leather. On a swaggy sports suits from Martini et Armand snakeskin is added as a narrow border all around the belted jacket and on the pockets, collars and cuffs.

Velvet Evening Coats

Velvet evening coats at the Paris fashion centers are either in black or in the light shades, such as pale green, pink and blue, and are worn over matching frocks of chiffon or crepe. Deep blue seems to be coming into favor, and the lining of lame or broche coats is either silk velvet or panne. The lame and broche coats appear in greater number than the velvet.

Dress for Women Who Wish to Look Slender



Flattering to many, but especially to those who wish to look slender, is the long surplice line of this dress, says the Woman's Home Companion. Continuing below the skirt edge it gives an impression of greater height and at the same time furnishes the skirt with the broken hemline so smart this season. There are many possibilities in the double fold of fabric that is set on the front band with hemstitching. It may be matching, contrasting or harmonizing in color. Interest in the back centers on the oval yoke. The set-in belt gives a tailored look and holds the dress firmly in place. Any of the sheer fabrics would be successful in this dress, especially those with a slight body, such as cheneire or crepe roma.

Floral Prints for Wear at the Bathing Beaches

Hand-blocked linen, printed radium and taffeta are mentioned as the favored materials in bathing suits for the summer. The array of new bathing apparel offered is diversified and interesting in pattern and style.

Illustrative of the hand-blocked linen suit is a straight model with black and white wavy background and large cluster of colorful flowers in the center of the front. Another, in multi-colored blocks, repeats one of the bright hues in yoke and hemline trims of taffeta, inserted along the edges of the squares in step effect.

The printed radium suits elect flowered patterns, certain versions of the floral type of decoration are newer than the futuristic theme. One of the former group, simple of silhouette with a plain-color tie and long cravat, while a flowered French crepe introduces the finely tucked vestee of color, outlined with lines of black. The floral theme is again evident in the indorsement of cretonne, but in all-over effect, notably a coat style with notched revers and flared skirt section, and also in the application of cretonne motifs on plain-color suits. One, of green taffeta, has cretonne appliques above the hemline, further decoration appearing in bandings of black, which describe a swastika motif, and outline a square neckline.

The plain suits are noted frequently to include sections of other colors as trimming usually geometrical in character. Particularly effective is one of black satin etoile, with a deeply pointed border of white taffeta above a gray taffeta hem. The vogue for black and white receives further indorsement in the case of a white taffeta suit, with panels and pipings of black satin. The extremely abbreviated length is observed in a model of scarlet satin, a mere coatee, which is worn over a white jersey.

A wide variety of crepe de chine suits is vividly illuminated with Russian decanté work in scattered figures or florals. Practically all suits may be had with matching caps, bags, capes and other accessories to complete the effective beach ensemble stressed here.

Capes and coats of wool jersey are also being featured and here, again, floral motifs are often applied as trimming. In some instances batik prints are employed. Another group of coats is developed of coated silks, such as pongee, crepe de chine or shantung and in blocked linen.

Beige Important for Spring

Delicate tones of beige, from a tint almost a deep ivory to a warm tan, are much in vogue in spring fashions.

Gay Vests

The new tailored blue suits sport gay vests of Russian cross work in vivid colors worked on oyster linen.

Pheasant Trims Hats

The small new hats of felt close to the head and are trimmed with tall fantasies of gay pheasant feathers.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

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WOODPECKERS' BAND

The Woodpecker family were around on various trees drumming, drumming on the bark.

Mr. Hairy Woodpecker, Mr. Downy Woodpecker and Mr. Red-Headed Woodpecker were hard at work.

"Let's start a band," suggested Mr. Hairy Woodpecker.

"What's that you say?" asked Mr. Red-Headed Woodpecker, who had been so busy at work that he had not heard what Mr. Hairy Woodpecker had been suggesting.

"A band," repeated Mr. Hairy Woodpecker.

"What sort of a band?" asked Mr. Red-Headed Woodpecker.

"In the first place," continued Mr. Hairy Woodpecker, "our bills are not only fine tools for the work we have to do getting the insects from the trees, and burrowing for our nests, but they should be splendid to use in beating the drums in a band."

"Where would we get the drums?" asked Mr. Red-Headed Woodpecker.

"The trees, of course, you silly!" said Mr. Hairy Woodpecker.

"Oh, yes, yes," agreed Mr. Red-Headed Woodpecker.

And Mr. Downy Woodpecker said: "Of course, of course. The trees will be our drums."

"We'll get the other birds," said Mr. Hairy Woodpecker, "to help us."

"We need something in a band besides the drums. We will ask the goldfinches, the mocking birds, the bobolinks, the phoebes, and chickadee families, all of the warbler and vireo families, and the robins of course."

"Then I think we'll ask the orioles, the whippoorwills, the thrush family and the song sparrows."

"Oh," said Mr. Downy Woodpecker, "that will make a perfect band. We'd better get started right away."

And the woodpeckers began to practice. They made such a noise that the birds came from far and near to see what they were doing.

Mr. Sapsucker, Mr. Crested Woodpecker and Mrs. Flicker Woodpecker had all joined in beating the drums, too!

"Why are you making so much noise?" asked the birds as they flew around to the nearby trees to talk to the woodpeckers.

"Oh," said Mr. Hairy Woodpecker, "we are just going to ask you all to



Mr. Hairy Woodpecker.

join our band. We will beat the drums."

"And just what do you want us to do?" asked Mr. Robin Redbreast, who was always eager to help.

"You must all sing."

"But we all sing so differently," chirped a song sparrow. "We know different tunes and different songs."

"Oh," said Mr. Hairy Woodpecker, "I never thought about that."

"But never mind; you can have little parts to sing alone, and other choruses where you will all sing together."

"I am sure it will be a very fine band after we have practiced."

And they began pounding the drums again.

"Well," said Mr. Robin Redbreast, "if the bird band isn't to be the finest in the land, at least we'll make a cheerful noise!"

RIDDLES

What can run as fast as a horse? Its shadow.

What are the best words to teach a parrot? Polysyllables.

Why is a watch like a river? It never runs without winding.

How does tea compare to sunset? When it is taken away night is nigh.

What is the most useful thing a person possesses in the long run? Breath.

What is it that goes all round the house, and comes in at the window? The wind.

If you met a pig crying, what would you say to him? Why, "Porcupine" (pork, you pine).

If a bear came into a department store, what would it be wanting? It would want muzzlin' (muslin).

Why is a new soldier like an Ivy clambering up a frame? Because he is listed and trained, has ten-drills and shoots.

Adrift With Humor

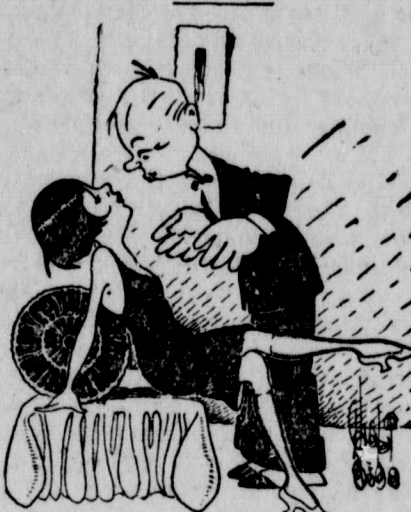
BREAKING IT GENTLY

Murphy had been careless in handling the blasting powder in the quarry, and Duffy had been deputed to break the news gently to the widow.

"Mrs. Murphy," said he, "Isn't it today the fellow calls for the weekly payment for Murphy's life insurance?"

"It is," answered Mrs. Murphy. "Well, now, a word in your ear," said Duffy. "Sure ye can snap your fingers at the fellow today."

HINTS TO FLAPPERS



"Never put up a poor mouth to your sweetie."

Versatile Chicken

Had an old hen.
Her name was Enza;
When I raised the kitchen window—
Influenza.

Help Wanted

Man of the House—Don't say anything to your mistress, cook, but have you a policeman calling on you in the kitchen?

Cook—No, sir.
Man of the House—Well, try to get one. We must have somebody to help eat up the cold ham.—Pathfinder.

Valuable Obligation

"Do you recall the days you spent at college with pleasure?"

"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum. "They brought me many valuable experiences. The professors who loved a baseball game more than they did the classroom taught me a lot about human nature."—Washington Star.

Happy World

Jerry—The landlord says if the rent isn't paid by Saturday—out we go.
Ted—Saturday! Fine. That gives us nothing to worry about for five days.

The First Qualification

"That boy of ours will be a big executive some day."
"What makes you think so?"
"It takes him so long to eat his lunch."

DOUBTING HIS JUDGMENT



Sire—Remember, my son, in all your dealings honesty is the best policy.
Son—But, dad, have you tried it enough to be sure?

Liberal Terms

The big hotel has splendid style, And he who cannot pay the rent May stand outside and look a while And not be charged a single cent.

Always a Chance

Elder Sister—I suppose some day some man will come along and ask me to marry him.
Younger Sister—Oh, I wouldn't wonder—there seems to be a great demand for antiques nowadays.

Irresistible

"However did you manage to reconcile Madge and Marie?"
"I gave them a choice bit of gossip and asked them not to repeat it to each other."

Ever Notice?

Simpson—The newspaper printed your letter, didn't it? What makes you think the editors didn't agree with the statements you made?
Samson—They didn't correct the grammatical errors in it—or the misspelled words.

Fourth Degree

He—Was Jones a popular man?
She—When he died the coroner's jury returned a verdict of "justifiable suicide."

The GREEN CLOAK

CHAPTER I
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Doctor McAllister has often told me that I take life seriously because I am young. That may or may not be the reason, but I am convinced that I know the reason why he takes it so light-heartedly. It is not because he is old, but because he has already won from life all the reward he wants. In his own department of science—applied psychology—he has achieved about as high a place as it is possible for a man to reach. In this field his reputation does not have to lower its colors to any other in the world; and if in his periods of relaxation he chooses to be frivolous, no one can afford to be any better than he. I suppose that the very idea of frivolity used in connection with Prof. Ronald McAllister's name would make most people laugh because of the grotesque unfitness of it; and the people who know him only as a gaunt, gray old bachelor, with a rugged, homely, deeply lined Scotch face and a big rough voice, would be right to laugh.

But I am more an adopted son of his than a mere assistant, and after spending the daily number of hours in his laboratory, watching him work his miracles, I see his great mind relax, and find that he is just a boy, more of a boy than ever I was in my life.

He likes the daily papers—the yellow they are, the better; and he devours a perfectly incredible number of detective stories, good and bad. His delight over a good one is almost pathetic.

So when I read the headlines in the morning papers that day, I knew perfectly well that when work was over and we met at our special little table in a corner of the brilliant dining room of The Meridith, I should be regaled with a thrilling and enthusiastic account of the Oak Ridge murder.

It was easy indeed to prefigure the whole scene. Similar ones had been enacted so many times before. I didn't altogether relish the prospect, for I hate to see people smiling and nodding behind my old chief's back, people who, intellectually or socially, or in any other way, aren't fit to tie his shoes. He doesn't mind their smiles, and the light-hearted emptiness of their lives has a mysterious sort of attraction for him.

And when I see him across our little table, his twinkling gray eyes glowing with excitement, his long ungainly arms and expressive hands working away in enthusiastic gesticulation, his big voice booming out the story of some sensational crime, I can't really wonder that a good many people nod and wink and giggle.

The thing I did wonder at sometimes was, that Wilkins, the obsequious, omnipresent, invaluable head-waiter, contrived to preserve his respectful mask of professional imperturbability.

I had a sneaking fondness for Wilkins, based upon the fact that he at least did not underrate Doctor McAllister. Tonight, for instance, it was Wilkins himself whom I saw conducting him down the long line of tables, to the corner of the room where we always sat.

"Tell our man what to bring us, Wilkins," he said, waving away the menu which that irreproachable functionary offered him. "You know what we want to eat, better than we do."

Then he turned to me. "Well, have you read about it?"

"The Oak Ridge murder?" I asked smiling. "No, I've waited to get the account of it from you."

"You really haven't read a word of it?" he asked.

"Not a word. I know that Oak Ridge is one of our more remote and less fashionable suburbs, and that there has been a murder there within the past forty-eight hours. Beyond that, my ignorance is complete."

"Youth! Youth!" cried the doctor in mock dismay. "What is it coming to? Fancy being under thirty and waiting all day for such a story as that, rather than read an account of it in bad English. Well, you shall have the story now from the beginning—Wait a bit, though, Wilkins—"

The head-waiter looked up from a low-voiced discussion of the menu with the man who had special charge of our table. "Yes, sir."

"Has Ashton come in yet?"

"Not yet, sir, but he should be here before long. He's seldom later than this, sir."

"Serve for three at this table, then," said the doctor, "and when Ashton comes in, ask him to dine with us"; then, turning to me, "There are some points which the newspapers don't cover that he'll be likely to know about."

Ashton, I may say, was a rising young assistant in the district attorney's office, and I will add that he worked at the detection and prosecution of crime, not amuse; it was not upon his salary that he lived at The Meridith.

The doctor leaned his elbows on the table and pointed a long finger at me. "Now, in the first place, all we know of Henry Morgan begins three years ago."

"Was Henry Morgan the name of the man who was murdered?" I asked.

"Yes—yes, at least it's the name he went by during the last three years of his life, while he spent at Oak Ridge. He got off the train there one morning

with a hand bag and a check for a small steamer trunk, both well-worn and both unmarked with any initials. He went straight to the real estate office of one James McCloskey and said he wanted to rent a house.

"McCloskey took him house-hunting, and, much to that gentleman's surprise, the only place in town that took Morgan's fancy was a large, dilapidated old house in one of its remotest quarters. The old place was in a state of considerable disrepair, and it contained a lot of rattle-trap furniture which the owner had never moved away. McCloskey had confessed that he had never expected to find a tenant for it. The question of repairs didn't seem to interest Mr. Morgan much, a patch or two in the roof and new lights of glass in the broken windows comprising all he asked for.

"When McCloskey asked him what family he had and when he expected to arrive, Mr. Morgan answered that he had no family and intended to live alone. He did, in fact, live alone, without even the service of a house-keeper, for a number of months, but finally engaged a respectable old woman, who lived in straightened circum-



"Half an Hour Later Some Passers-by Saw Him Striding Up and Down His Ricketty Old Veranda."

stances not very far away, to come every day and cook his meals and keep his house in order. He let her in every morning in time to get breakfast, and she went away every night about seven o'clock, after washing up the supper dishes.

"There, you have, practically, the story of his life in Oak Ridge, up to two nights ago. Two nights ago the old woman got supper for him for the last time, and went home as usual about seven o'clock. Half an hour later some passers-by saw him striding up and down his ricketty old veranda, smoking a pipe. Yesterday morning when his housekeeper knocked at the kitchen door, there was no answer. Then she went around to the front of the house and rang the bell, also without result. She walked back a little way up the lawn and saw that one of the windows in a sort of study he had on the third floor was open.

"Well, it seems that she told various people about her fears that all was not well with her employer, but you know what a town of that description is like. There aren't any police. Most of the men in the place commute to town on the early trains, and with one thing and another, it was ten o'clock, or so, before the house was forcibly broken open.

"The investigators found nothing disturbed either on the first floor or on the second, but in the old gentleman's study, a finished-off room in the attic, with a couple of dormer windows, they found him dead in his chair. He was leaning back in a queer, unnatural attitude, and when they looked more closely, they found that he had been strangled with a catgut string from an old violin of his. An A string," he went on, with rising voice and finger that gesticulated only about six inches from my nose—"an A string that had been deliberately removed from the fiddle and slipped in a noose around his neck, while he sat there in his chair, and drawn taut. What do you say to that, eh?"

"I don't see why they call it murder," said I. "Why isn't suicide the more likely explanation?"

"Oh, wise young judge," he mocked. "For just this reason, my boy; that the end of the string wasn't fastened to anything. He couldn't have committed suicide in that way, unless he could reach around after he was dead and untie the knot behind the back of his neck. No, it's murder, and I should be inclined to say a singularly pure example of it."

"There's no connection whatever with his past?" I inquired. "Didn't McCloskey ask for any references at the time Morgan rented the house?"

"He says he did on that first day, and Mr. Morgan assured him that

there would be no difficulty on that score; he would present his references in a day or two. As a matter of fact, he never did, but as he paid a quarter's rent in advance, and as he signed an indeterminate lease of a house which the agent never expected to get off his hands, McCloskey didn't like to press the matter. He used furniture that he found in the house, and never brought in any effects of his own, beyond what came with him on the first day, in his hand bag and his little trunk. He never got any letters from out of town, and apparently never sent off any. What his business was, if he had any, no one ever knew."

"You say that nothing on the first or on the second floor had been disturbed. That would dispose of the theory of robbery."

"The whole appearance of the house and its condition would contradict the theory of any ordinary robbery," the doctor said. "No one would break into that dilapidated old structure for such a purpose, unless he had knowledge of some secret and unusual sort of treasure there. But to my mind, the manner of killing disposes even of that alternative. The house is situated in a lonely spot, remote from all other habitation. If a robber had found himself in a position where he was obliged to kill, he could have risked a pistol shot, and he couldn't have garroted his victim without taking him unawares. No, I believe it to be a case of murder, pure and simple—murder committed for its own sake and not the by-product of some other result. And these cases, you know, are rather rare—"

"Here comes Mr. Ashton now, sir," said Wilkins from where he stood not far away. "I'll have dinner served at once, sir."

Both the doctor and I like Ashton, and he often dines with us, even when there is no particular excuse, such as was offered by the Oak Ridge murder, for doing so.

He is a burly, confident, quick-tempered, generous-minded young chap of about thirty, and if he keeps on as he has begun, he will some day acquire a reputation as one of the greatest prosecutors in the country.

He was not in evening dress tonight, and he dropped into his chair at our table with the air of one who has put in a trying day.

"Confound these suburban trains," he said. "I just spent the better part of an hour in one coming in from Oak Ridge."

"Ha!" cried the doctor, with an air of the most intense satisfaction. "Then you're just the man I want to see. Did you turn up anything at the afternoon session of the inquest? The account in the evening papers leaves off at noon."

Ashton laughed. "You'll not get a word out of me about that murder, until after the fish. If you attempt to I shall call on Wilkins here for help. However," he added seriously, "I do want to talk about this case with you, for I think it not unlikely that you may be able to help us."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Curious Old Custom of Literary Giants

Lipogrammatic works, the product of the early Greek authors, are those books in which one letter of the alphabet is omitted throughout the volume. Tryphiodorus, when writing his Odysey, had not an "a" in his first book, nor a "b" in his second. In so doing he was but copying the Lipogrammatic Iliad of Nestor.

Athenaeus writes of an ode by Pindar in which the latter purposely omitted the letter "s," thereby leading us to surmise that this little hoax was one of the literary fashions of the day. A Persian poet once read to the celebrated Jami one of his own compositions with the letter Alif consistently omitted throughout. Jami, who did not care for the sonnet, sarcastically made the following recommendation: "You can do a better thing yet, take away all the letters from every word you have written."

Although the Greeks originated this ingenious literary device, its use was by no means exclusive with them. Lope de Vega, the celebrated Spanish dramatic poet of the sixteenth century, Gregorio Leti, and at a much later day Lord North of the court of James I all employed this literary device and produced Lipogrammatic books.—Market for Exchange.

Train Speed Cuts Static

Static decreases and radio-station strength increases with and in proportion to acceleration in the train's speed, experiments with a receiver have shown, according to Popular Mechanics Magazine. A steel bridge with no superstructure helped to increase the volume of the reception, while one with a superstructure decreased it.

Build House for Comfort

Rambling rooms may be romantic to look upon, but the romance caused by inconvenience and lack of comfort soon fades. Not only should a house be big enough and not too big, but its rooms need to be related to each other so as to save steps and lessen labor.

Stagg Relents and Signs for Telephone

Amos Alonzo Stagg was a boy in short pants when Alexander Graham Bell invented the telephone 51 years ago, but only recently has the famous coach capitulated to the invention.

Stagg agreed to have a telephone installed in his home, a mile from the university—but he yielded only half way. It is a one-way phone. He can call out, but nobody can call in.

Stagg, now sixty-three, got along without a phone all his life because he did not want to be disturbed after going to bed nightly between 8 and 8:30, as is his custom.

HOP INDIAN SET MARATHON RECORD

Watussi People Cannot Hop in Temperate Climate.

Leading 134 American track stars by 150 yards, a Hopi Indian set a new marathon record recently in a Long Island race. He overcame the handicap of coming from an arid climate 7,000 feet up in the Rockies down to humid sea level.

More records would fall to primitive peoples, according to the report of an American explorer in a communication to the National Geographic society, if the Watussi could jump as successfully in a temperate climate as in the Tropics.

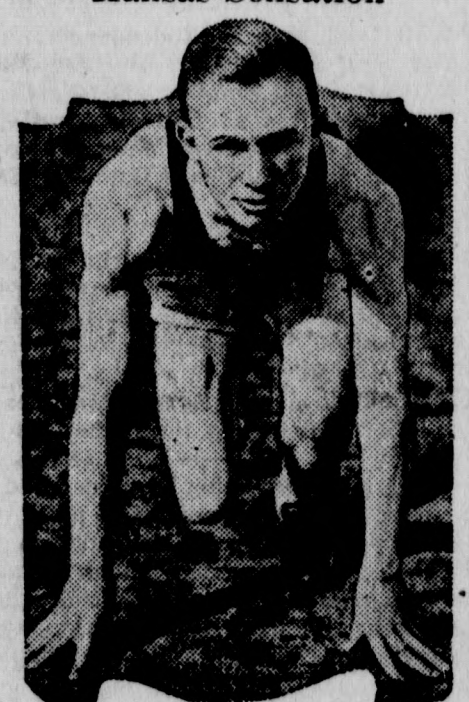
"A line, which could be raised or lowered at will, was stretched between two slender trees standing on an incline," wrote a spectator at track events among the Watussi people of Tanganyika. "The athletes had to run up to this and jump from a small termite heap a foot in height. Despite these unfavorable conditions, exhibitions were given which would place all European efforts in the shade. The best jumpers—slender, but splendid figures, with an almost Indian profile—attained the incredible height of 8 feet 2 inches, and young boys made the relatively no less wonderful performance of five feet."

"Then a number of young Watussi exhibited their remarkable skill in javelin throwing. Taking a run of ten steps, bending backwards almost to the ground, they hurled their javelins up to prodigious heights, and with such impetus that two of the spear-shafts broke in the air from the vibration. It was the same with the shooting-matches with bow and arrow, in which the trunk of a banana tree was used for the butt. The shooting average at 150 feet was really good."

"Great strength is required to bend the bow correctly, and to draw it to its fullest extent long years of practice are necessary. The elasticity of the bow, which is from 4 feet to 4 feet 9 inches in height, is extraordinarily great, and with the bow-string drawn to its fullest extent the arrow flies a distance of 200 paces."

"Running races, too, were organized, but owing to the lack of the necessary measuring instruments I am, unfortunately, not in a position to give the time. I have no doubt, however, that in this department, also, the European records were at least equaled."

Kansas Sensation



The photograph shows Bernard "Poco" Frazier, 115-pound sensation of the University of Kansas, who has won five consecutive races, broken two records, and is still in his first year of varsity competition. His most noteworthy feat was in beating Philip Osif, Haskell Indian star, in a two-mile event. Osif is the national six-mile junior and senior champ of the United States.

Outfielder Dick Loftus

Stars as First Baseman The theory that a flycatcher has no place in the infield has been radely jolted by Dick Loftus, young Minneapolis player.

Substituting at first base, Loftus furnished the big punch in an early season spurt which put Minneapolis out in front in the American association.

Obtained in a trade with Brooklyn, Loftus came in from center field to do some first-sacking in a pinch and distinguished himself by figuring in four double-plays in one game, starting two himself.



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Welcome Pickup

A Kennebunk (Maine) man who will never pass up a rummage sale attended the annual sale of second-hand stuff by the Unitarian women of that town. He spied a billfold which he liked. He bought it for a cent, and when he opened it to transfer his money, he liked the looks of it all the more, for tucked away in one corner was a perfectly good \$5 bill.

Esperantist Money

A "spesnilo" is a banknote worth 50 cents, and it is something new in the money world, according to the Pathfinder Magazine. It is issued by the bank of the Dutch Esperanto association located at Laren and is only a private tender to facilitate payments between Esperantists for subscriptions.

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Had It Right

Mrs. Pecque—You—you—you peanut! Pecque—Quite right, my dear. You're always making me shell out.

Preparedness

"Hucome you-all builds dis heah street so narrer?" "So's traffic won't have room 'nuff to jam, I reckon."

A good many ideals must wither before the facts; particularly the ideal of making men angelic.

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Well Trained

Mrs. A—"Does your husband expect you to obey him?" Mrs. B—"Oh, dear, no. John's been married before."

Why some wives don't complain of their husbands is because they're not worth mentioning.

Some temptations come to the fridustrious, but all temptations attack the idle.—Spurgeon.

DALY CITY

NEWS NOTES OF PERSONAL INTEREST

By MARC WORST

Miss G. Murphy, of Hanover street, spent the week end at Guerneville with friends.

As Monday, July 4, was Independence Day, there was no meeting of the board of trustees.

Mr. and Mrs. Continola, of Evergreen avenue, and daughters, spent the week end in Ventura.

Miss Margaret O'Connor has returned home from Capitola after a most enjoyable vacation there.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church held a meeting last Wednesday. Light refreshments were served.

Dave Campbell reports having had a wonderful time at Boyes Springs and Calistoga during the holiday vacation.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Doherty left for Pescadero Memorial Park, where they intend to spend their vacation.

Mrs. A. E. Nelson has opened up a candy store and ice cream parlor at 6339 Mission street, carrying a full line of the best candies.

Mr. F. Martin received news Tuesday from Italy of the death of his mother.

Mrs. L. W. Johnston, of Los Banos avenue, visited with friends at Clearlake over the holidays.

Henry Blaylock, of Evergreen avenue, left Saturday to spend a vacation of one week at Monte Rio.

Mrs. J. S. Stanley, of Evergreen and Brunswick, had a wonderful vacation at Lake Tahoe over the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Stark and daughter Francis, of San Diego avenue, left Tuesday to spend ten days at Capitola.

J. J. Fahey, local realtor, got out the family car and motored with his family to Half Moon Bay to spend the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Gatchell, of Centerville, were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Charles H. Gatchell two days during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smith and family left Saturday for Monte Rio. Mayor Smith returned Monday, while Mrs. Smith and the family will remain for a two weeks' vacation.

Will Sweeney is spending his vacation in Los Angeles.

Mrs. A. Chesney spent last Tuesday in Mill Valley, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. DeGuise have returned from their trip to Searsville Lake.

A. Chesney enjoyed a pleasant surprise visit from his sister, Mrs. H. Hind, of Sunnyvale, last week.

F. Martini and sons returned home Tuesday evening after an enjoyable nine days vacation in Stockton.

The home of C. Vernengo has recently been extensively renovated and presents a greatly improved appearance.

Mrs. A. Vireno and daughters, Mabel and Esther, of Mission street, left Tuesday for a three weeks vacation in Sacramento.

Miss Gussie Devlin, of the Helene Beauty Shoppe, accompanied by her mother, spent the week end at San Jose, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Chandler, of Evergreen avenue, have moved to their new home on Hanover street, opposite the General Pershing school.

As Independence Day fell on Monday, a number of local residents took advantage of the three-day holiday to make fairly extended trips.

Mrs. M. Murphy and daughter, Mrs. A. Cochran, and granddaughter Patricia, and Mr. Earl McDaniels spent the holiday with friends at Sonoma.

Mr. and Mrs. William V. Ruff and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Allen spent the holidays at Pescadero. They visited the Boy Scout training camp there.

Claud Hamber, of Los Banos avenue, has the misfortune to break his arm in two places on Thursday of last week. The break is mending rapidly, however.

Horace Fellows, local building contractor, and Mr. Winton, of Los Banos avenue, made a trip to Yosemite over the week end, and report having a wonderful time.

The annual St. Maximus bazaar will be held some time in October. A whist Tuesday evening by the St. Patrick's booth, in the Daly City Auditorium, was a big success.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Emerson and son John, of Peoria street, and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Emerson spent the holidays at Lompico, where they have nearly completed their bungalow.

Miss Hester Blaylock, of Evergreen avenue, will be installed tomorrow evening as the Vice-Grand of California Rebecca Lodge No. 1. The ceremonies will be held in the Odd Fellows' building, San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Brasques, accompanied by their daughter and son-in-law, journeyed to Dry Creek, near Healdsburg, to spend the holidays. Mr. Brasques is an expert fisherman and secured the limit of elusive trout.

Mrs. Tom Swan had for her holiday guests her sister and daughter, from Oakdale, Cal. They returned home on Monday evening and Miss Mildred Swan accompanied them for a visit of some days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Rodenberger, Mr. and Mrs. A. Chesney, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cuneo and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Augustien and family spent the week end at Pescadero Memorial Park visiting the Boy Scout Camp of San Mateo county.

Next Tuesday, July 4, the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will give a reception for the new pastor, Elliot E. Fisher. The reception will begin at 8 o'clock, and everyone is invited. Entertainment and light refreshments will be furnished by the Ladies' Aid.

The grammar school trustees had a special meeting Wednesday night to discuss the plans for the addition to the General Pershing school. Plans for cleaning and painting the other schools, last done twelve years ago, were also carried nearly to completion.

Mrs. Carl Worst and family are looking forward eagerly to the arrival next week from New Jersey of her father, George E. Farley, one of the few remaining members of the Grand Army of the Republic, who served from the age of seventeen throughout the entire Civil war.

R. E. Fletcher, of 216 Templeton avenue, is in Cincinnati, attending the Elks convention, following a period of several days spent in Chicago, where he attended the Summer Furniture Market at the American Furniture Mart. Mr. Fletcher is connected with Redlick-Newman Company, of San Francisco, but makes his home in Daly City.

The Daly City Volunteer Fire Department will hold a theatre party at the State Theatre next Wednesday, July 11, when a special program will be presented. Those who attended the firemen's theatre party last year declare they had one of the best times of their lives, and crowded houses are assured for next Wednesday. It will pay you to attend, as there will be something doing every minute.

Chief of Police Doyle and family returned last Friday from a trip south, visiting Los Angeles and Hollywood.

Miss D. Cohn, of South San Francisco, spent Thursday evening at the home of Miss C. Foppiano, of Evergreen avenue.

The recent cleaning of weeds from sidewalks of Daly City has made a decided improvement in the appearance of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Scott, of 54 Parkview avenue, are home again, having enjoyed a delightful vacation trip to Yosemite.

Mrs. R. Marino, of Vista Grande avenue, left Sunday for Boston, being called to that place as a result of the illness of her sister and mother, who reside there.

Richard Dix in "Paradise for Two" heads the bill at the State Theatre Saturday, July 9. In addition, the Kiddie Revue and "Melting Millions" is sure to please.

People leaving town on vacation should notify Chief Doyle by phone, mail or direct call. Leave name and address. Do not forget to notify the office of your return.

Next Friday at the State Theatre, in addition to the Country Store, the famous picture "The Great Gatsby," in which Lois Wilson has a leading role, will be presented.

W. J. White and son Harold enjoyed a vacation trip to Monte Rio. The trip would have been more enjoyable, however, had they not had the misfortune of having some machine trouble which slightly interfered with their plans.

Attention is again called to the people of Daly City by Chief of Police Doyle in reporting all suspicious looking characters loitering in the neighborhood, to the police department. For quick results, phone Randolph 55, Daly City police phone.

The office of chief of police has been very busy since the addition of two permanent officers, Officer Hopman and Officer Schramm. A man in the office at all times, two men always on duty. Hilton and Hopman are on the night shift, while Doyle and Schramm are on the day shift.

A Gypsy party is to be given by the Epworth League at the Methodist church on Friday, July 8, at 8 p. m. The Gypsy fee is 15 cents and the only requirement is that every one try to come in Gypsy costume. Refreshments and entertainment will be given in the Gypsy fashion. The Leaguers are working hard to make the party a success and cordially invite everyone to be present.

Mrs. G. Carnegie, of 151 Crocker avenue, passed away Monday at her home. She was 52 years old, a native of Scotland. Services were held yesterday, being conducted by Rev. Charles H. Gatchell of Grace Presbyterian church, with interment in Woodlawn Memorial Park. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, John Carnegie, her son, John Carnegie, Jr., and a sister, Mrs. E. Bancroft. Her passing will be sincerely regretted by a host of friends.

The Fire Commissioners of Daly City met Monday night and various measures were taken up. The proposed equipment for the fire houses was one of the chief topics. Commissioner Brady was sworn in to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Commissioner Rodenberger. The commissioners wish to inform the public that they are allowed to have only five gallons of gasoline or other liquid explosives in excess of that in their autos, in their possession. The fire marshal has been ordered to strictly enforce this ordinance.

METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES

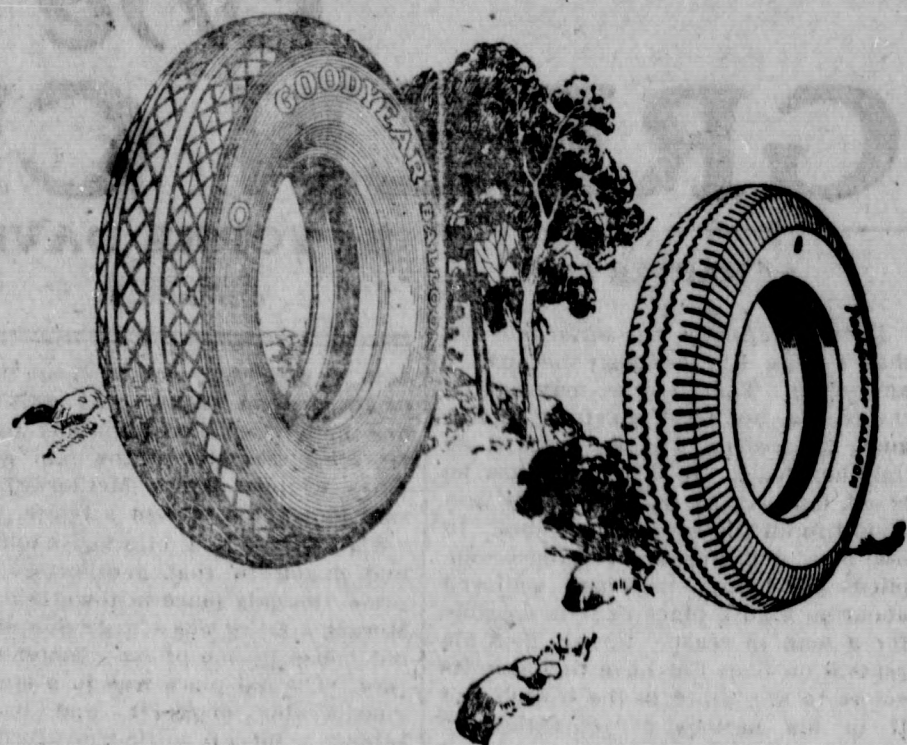
Elliot E. Fisher, Pastor.
Sermon, "The Coming of the Kingdom." Services held at 8 o'clock. All welcome.
Epworth League service at 7 o'clock.
Topic for Sunday, July 10, "Nature's Hymn of Praise."

OLDEST MASON HEARS DISTANT GREETINGS

The oldest Mason in the United States and likewise the oldest naval officer in the country, celebrated his one hundredth birthday on March 22 at Hood River, Ore.

In honor of the event, a special telephone hook-up was arranged between Philadelphia and Hood River so that, while the Hood River Masons were honoring Captain Charles Alexander Schetky, retired, of the United States Navy, the Masonic Lodge No. 2 of Philadelphia, the lodge which he joined seventy-two years ago, was able to send him its congratulations by word of mouth. The banquet in Philadelphia was held in the Masonic Hall. It was the first time in many years that Captain Schetky had had the opportunity of talking with his brothers in Philadelphia, although he has traveled all over the world and has carried the good will of the Philadelphia Masons into virtually every country.

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